

CÚNTAS SEACHTMHAINÉAMHAIL na mBREITH agus na mBÁS

WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN RELATION TO THE

TWELVE PRINCIPAL TOWNS OF SAORSTÁT ÉIREANN

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the Twelve Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 18.5 and 16.2; City of Dublin, 18.3 and 16.5; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 13.2 and 10.3; Cork, 18.6 and 18.3; Limerick, 15.9 and 15.2; and Waterford, 13.7 and 13.7.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.5 per 1,000. Among the 28 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age; of the 12 deaths for Limerick, one was from scarlet fever and one from diphtheria; 5 of the 7 deaths for Waterford were from measles and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and the 7 deaths for Galway included 3 from measles and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 233—115 boys and 118 girls, and the number of deaths 165—83 males and 82 females. Twenty-six of the births and 19 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 146 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 18.3 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 15.6, 9.5, and 22.4.

There were 6 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 2 from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were 0, 2, and 2; deaths from diphtheria were 4, 2, and 3; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, 3, and one. There were no deaths from scarlet fever in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 17 deaths (13 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis one from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of the disease) as against 9, 7, and 19 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Thirteen deaths were caused by cancer, and 21 by diseases of the heart.

There were 22 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 12 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 9 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 12 deaths.

One accidental death (that of a child aged 2 years 6 months) due to scalds was registered.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, 7 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation, and one to congenital debility.

Thirty-three of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 20 being infants under one year, of whom one was under one month old, and 40 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 29 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 146 deaths recorded, 67 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 9th January, was equal to an average annual rate of 16.3 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 13.9.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 18.2) the mortality among civilians was 17.3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15.1 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14.8 and for Edinburgh, 18.1.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery and diarrhoea diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 9th January, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Saorstát Éireann** and to **BELFAST** and **LONDONDERRY** County Boroughs, with the **METEOROLOGY** for the week: also similar particulars for **LONDON**, **EDINBURGH**, and **GLASGOW**.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	COLS.	BIRTHS		DEATHS														METEOROLOGY															
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons represented by		CAUSED BY														Air Temperature					In Public Institutions										
		POPULATION (b)	BIRTHS	Principal Epidemic Diseases														Diseases Respiratory System		Mean Maximum (A)		Mean Minimum (B)		Inquest Cases		Number Uncertified		Hours of Bright Sunshine					
				Under 1 year of Age														Diphtheria		Absolute Highest		Absolute Lowest		Violence		In Public Institutions		Rainfall in Inches					
From all Causes		From Principal Epidemic Diseases		Measles		Scarlet Fever		Whooping-cough		Pneumonia		Cancer		Other		Violence		Inquest Cases		Number Uncertified		Absolute Highest		Absolute Lowest		Mean Maximum (A)		Mean Minimum (B)		Rainfall in Inches		Hours of Bright Sunshine	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)			
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..		680,919	24.8	18.5	1.5	394	242	42	68	.	10	2	.	3	5	1	18	5	23	34	22	19	1	4	92	.	.	.	.	.
CITY OF DUBLIN ..		415,990	26.0	18.3	0.8	207	146	20	40	.	.	1	2	.	13	4	2	.	2	13	22	19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
BORO' DON LAGHARE		35,600	4.4	13.2	.	3	9	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	5	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
CORK CO. BOROUGH		78,490	30.6	18.6	1.3	46	28	8	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK ..		39,448	13.2	15.9	2.6	10	12	1	4	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD ..		28,647	41.1	13.7	11.7	21	7	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST.		14,227	13.996	13.996	13.996	6	2	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK ..		12,716	12.716	12.716	12.716	7	15	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA ..		11,879	11.879	11.879	11.879	6	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD ..		11,437	11.437	11.437	11.437	4	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLEIGO ..		10,533	10.533	10.533	10.533	6	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE ..		16,045	16.045	16.045	16.045	5	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KILKENNY ..		10,035	10.035	10.035	10.035	5	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CO BORO' ..		415,151	24.5	16.8	0.5	103	130	24	42	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	11	1	12	11	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
LONDONDERRY ..		43,159	23.9	13.9	.	25	12	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON ..		4,377,090	16.4	18.2	—	1374	1523	96	836	.	11	.	2	.	6	109	64	18	143	197	133	51	84	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
EDINBURGH ..		449,990	18.1	—	—	140	153	12	67	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GLASGOW ..		1,032,230	14.8	—	—	557	309	41	109	.	15	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended Saturday, 9th January, 1932, in relation to the City of Dublin and the County Borough of Cork* by Registrars' Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the principal EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

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*See note at foot of fourth page.

^tThe population given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 9th January, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrheal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Dec. 19	..	..	..	32	..	9	1	..	—	..	..	9	..	..	—	12	63
	Dec. 26	..	..	..	29	..	11	1	..	—	..	..	5	..	..	—	4	50
	Jan. 2	1	..	..	36	..	13	1	..	—	..	..	2	..	..	—	16	74
	Jan. 9	3	..	2	29	..	14	..	..	—	..	..	11	..	..	—	12	71
Dun Laoghaire Boro	Dec. 19	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	1
	Dec. 26	..	..	—	1	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	2
	Jan. 2	..	..	—	1	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	3
	Jan. 9	..	..	—	3	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	..
Cork C.B.	Dec. 19	..	..	..	3	—	6	..	..	..	..	—	12	..	..	2	3	16
	Dec. 26	..	..	..	..	—	6	..	..	1	..	—	6	..	..	..	1	10
	Jan. 2	..	..	..	3	—	6	..	..	..	..	—	3	..	..	4	17	33
	Jan. 9	..	..	..	5	—	3	1	..	..	..	—	3	..	..	1	7	20
Limerick C.B.	Dec. 19	..	..	—	8	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	2	11
	Dec. 26	..	..	—	12	—	12	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	5
	Jan. 2	..	..	—	2	—	12	2	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	6
	Jan. 9	..	..	—	6	—	2	1	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	1	1	10
Waterford C.B.	Dec. 19	..	..	—	..	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	1
	Dec. 26	..	..	—	..	—	4	..	1	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	5
	Jan. 2	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	..
	Jan. 9	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	..

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 9th January, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 9th January, 1932.			
	Dec. 19	Dec. 26	Jan. 2	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	4	5	5	4	..	..	9
Typhus	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles	5	4	6	..	..	..	6
Scarlet Fever	176	170	165	30	41	..	154*
			59				
Diphtheria	64	58	..	16	19	2	54
Pneumonia	21	17	28	10	4	2	32

* Exclusive of 23 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities; but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

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Twelve Principal Towns, 17.4 and 16.8; City of Dublin, 17.2 and 16.9; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 16.1 and 11.4; Cork, 21.3 and 20.8; Limerick, 23.8 and 15.9; and Waterford, 17.6 and 15.2.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.5 per 1,000. Among the 32 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age; of the 18 deaths for Limerick, 3 were from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age, 4 of the 9 deaths for Waterford were from measles; one of the 3 deaths for Sligo was from diphtheria, and the 2 deaths for Kilkenny were from measles.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 244—125 boys and 119 girls, and the number of deaths 148—64 males and 84 females. Twenty-nine of the births and 11 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 137 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 17.2 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 9.5, 22.4, and 18.3.

There were 4 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 2 from measles, one from whooping-cough and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were 2, 2, and 2; deaths from whooping-cough were 0, 2 and 0; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 3, one and 2.

Four deaths from influenza were registered. There were 20 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 11 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 24 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis) as against 7, 19, and 17 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, and 19 by diseases of the heart.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to measles, one to meningococcal meningitis, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, one to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and one to congenital malformation.

Twenty-three of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 13 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 45 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 35 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 137 deaths recorded, 55 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons represented by	BIRTHS		DEATHS		CAUSED BY																METEOROLOGY									
			From all Causes		From Principal Epidemic Diseases		Total Deaths	Under 1 year of Age	65 years and upwards	Principal Epidemic Diseases						Tuberculosis		Cancer	Diseases Respiratory System		Violence	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Air Temperature				Hours of Bright Sunshine			
			From Principal Epidemic Diseases	From Principal Epidemic Diseases	Measles	Scarlet Fever				Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Pneumonia	Other															
																			From all Causes						From Principal Epidemic Diseases		Diseases Respiratory System			Air Temperature		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)		
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	24.6	17.4	1.5	321	227	66	.	8	.	2	3	6	5	14	.	15	26	37	3	5	78	6	.	.	.	.	.	.
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	27.0	17.2	0.5	215	137	45	.	2	.	1	1	1	4	11	.	9	20	26	3	3	55	2	{	28.6	50.3	36.0	43.2	1.06	21.0		
Boro' DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,600	17.6	16.1	.	12	11	5	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	2	.	2	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	55.0	37.0	50.7	42.1	0.64	19.6
CORK CO. BOROUGH	78,490	19.3	21.3	2.7	29	32	4	8	.	.	1	2	1	.	1	.	1	1	2	7	.	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK "	39,448	22.5	23.8	4.0	17	18	7	2	.	.	.	3	3	1	1	.	1	1	2	2	.	1	.	.	.	26	49.0	30.0	39.5	2.07	15.7	
WATERFORD "	26,047	31.3	17.6	7.8	16	9	2	1	4	.	.	.	3	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	52.9	34.0	39.7	46.1	0.84	15.7		
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	14,227	31.3	17.6	7.8	3	6	1	1	4	.	.	.	3	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	52.9	34.0	39.7	46.1	0.84	15.7		
DUNDALK	13,996	12.7	16.1	1.5	6	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	55.0	37.0	50.7	42.1	0.64	19.6
DROGHEDA	12,716	12.7	16.1	1.5	6	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	55.0	37.0	50.7	42.1	0.64	19.6
WEXFORD	11,879	12.7	16.1	1.5	6	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	55.0	37.0	50.7	42.1	0.64	19.6
SAGO	11,437	12.7	16.1	1.5	6	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	55.0	37.0	50.7	42.1	0.64	19.6
TRALEE	10,533	12.7	16.1	1.5	6	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	55.0	37.0	50.7	42.1	0.64	19.6
KILKENNY	10,046	12.7	16.1	1.5	6	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	55.0	37.0	50.7	42.1	0.64	19.6
BELFAST CO BORO' ..	415,151	22.9	15.2	1.3	182	221	54	.	1	.	1	1	3	5	7	1	13	15	10	1	1	33	2	56.0	25.5	51.1	33.2	42.2	1.01	—		
LONDONDERRY "	45,150	33.1	20.8	2.3	33	18	4	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	3	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON ..	4,377,900	16.1	18.0	—	1,351	1,509	93	802	22	2	10	7	12	145	90	7	124	144	137	47	66	.	.	55.0	30.0	51.3	38.0	44.7	0.78	20.7		
EDINBURGH ..	440,900	—	16.4	0.68	140	138	14	65	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	19	7	—	—	—	54.0	30.0	48.4	37.4	42.9	1.47	20.7
GLASGOW ..	1,092,200	—	15.8	1.58	463	525	43	103	18	4	1	3	3	3	—	—	—	49	49	7	—	—	—	53.4	32.6	49.7	36.7	43.2	1.52	7.9		

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended Saturday, 16th January, 1932, in relation to the City of Dublin and the County Borough of Cork* by Registrars' Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTIMATED POPULATION OF 1931†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		DEATHS FROM																											
			ALL CAUSES	PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES	AGES AT DEATH										Principal Epidemic Diseases										In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified						
					Under 1 year	5 years and over					Tuberculosis	Principal Epidemic Diseases																				
						1-2	3-5	5-15	15-25	25-45		45-65	65 years and over	Diphtheria	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence			Diseases of Respiratory System					
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)		
CITY OF DUBLIN.																																
NORTH CITY No. 1 EAST		35,600	19.0	1.5	13	1	1	1	2	1	4	7	17	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	4	3	1	1	1	7	8	1		
" No. 1 WEST		48,200	25.3	1.5	21	1	1	1	1	4	7	3	17	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	4	3	1	1	1	8	8	1		
" No. 3		23,800	15.6	1.6	14	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	17	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	4	6	1		
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF		1,900	11.3	1.5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF		200	9.200	1.5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF		20,400	12.8	1.5	5	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
COOLOCK AND DREMCONDRY, PART OF		12,100	21.5	1.5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF		36,900	18.4	1.5	13	1	1	1	1	2	5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 2		14,400	29.0	1.5	8	1	1	1	1	2	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 3		45,700	12.6	1.5	11	1	1	1	1	2	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 4		33,900	13.8	1.5	9	1	1	1	1	2	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONDALKIN, PART OF		600	25.6	1.5	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CRUMLIN, PART OF		35,000	14.9	1.5	10	2	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
DUNYMOORE Nos. 1 AND 2		16,900	3.1	1.5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
NEW KILMAINHAM		1,900	1.900	1.5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF		41,500	16.8	1.5	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
RATHMINES Nos. 1 AND 2		415,900	17.2	0.5	137	13	5	4	4	22	39	45	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	4	11	9	20	26	3	60	3	55	2	2	2	
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN					11				1	7	2	1								4	1	1	3	1		1		11				
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)																																
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																
CORK URBAN, No. 1		12,837	12.2	4.7	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 2		11,208	23.3	4.7	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 3		10,971	19.0	6.0	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 4		8,642	30.2	6.0	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 5		5,613	18.6	9.3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 6		12,005	21.7	4.3	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 7		17,214	24.2	4.3	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK		78,490	21.3	2.7	32	4	2	2	2	1	4	11	8							2	1	2	7	1	16	1	13					

*See note at foot of fourth page.

†The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 16th January, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Polymyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Dec. 26	.	.	.	29	11	1	.	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	4	50
	Jan. 2	.	.	.	36	13	.	.	.	—	.	.	6	.	.	—	16	74
	Jan. 9	.	.	.	29	14	.	.	.	—	.	.	11	.	.	—	12	71
	Jan. 16	1	.	2	18	13	.	.	.	—	.	.	5	1	.	—	11	49
Dun Laoghaire Boro ¹	Dec. 26	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Jan. 2	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Jan. 9	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Jan. 16	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
Cork C.B.	Dec. 26	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	.	1	.	—	2	.	.	.	1	10
	Jan. 2	.	.	.	3	—	6	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	17	33
	Jan. 9	.	.	.	5	—	3	1	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	4	7	20
	Jan. 16	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	5	11
Limerick C.B.	Dec. 26	.	.	—	3	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Jan. 2	.	.	—	2	—	2	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	6
	Jan. 9	.	.	—	6	—	2	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	10
	Jan. 16	.	.	—	4	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
Waterford C.B.	Dec. 26	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Jan. 2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 9	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 16	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 16th January 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 16th January, 1932.			
	Dec. 26	Jan. 2	Jan. 9	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	5	5	9	.	1	.	8
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	4	6	6	1	.	.	7
Scarlet Fever ...	170	165	154	22	25	.	151*
Diphtheria ...	58	59	54	19	15	.	58
Pneumonia ...	17	28	32	3	6	5	24

* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the **Twelve Principal Towns** are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 17.7 and 18.9; City of Dublin, 16.5 and 18.6; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 10.3 and 13.2; Cork, 23.3 and 23.5; Limerick, 29.1 and 20.2; and Waterford, 21.5 and 19.1.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.0 per 1,000. Among the 35 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age; of the 11 deaths for Waterford 3 were from measles and one from whooping-cough; 2 of the 3 deaths for Galway were from diphtheria, and one of the 4 deaths for Kilkenny was from measles.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 213—108 boys and 105 girls, and the number of deaths 141—63 males and 78 females. Thirty of the births and 9 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 132 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 16.5 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 22.4, 18.3, and 17.2.

There were 3 deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were one, 2, and one.

Twelve deaths from influenza were registered. There were 17 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 10 from broncho-pneumonia, 1 from lobar pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 19 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (6 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of the disease) as against 19, 17, and 11 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 15 by disease of the heart.

Four deaths from violence were registered, one of which (that of a child aged one year) was caused by burns, and one by a motor vehicle.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to convulsions, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, one to bronchitis, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 44 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 31 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 132 deaths recorded, 52 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 23rd January, was equal to an average annual rate of 17.8 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 13.9.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 16.5) the mortality among civilians was 14.7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14.7 and for Edinburgh, 13.9.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION		DEATHS												DEATHS FROM																				
		ALL CAUSES	PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES	AGES AT DEATH												Principal Epidemic Diseases												Tuber- culosis		Diseases Res- piratory System		Other Causes		Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified
				TOTAL DEATHS												Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza		Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence							
				Under 1 year	1-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over																										
CITY OF DUBLIN.	COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)						
NORTH CITY No. 1 EAST	...	35,600	14.6		10	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	3							3	1	1		4	1	2	4	1	4	1						
" " No. 1 WEST	...	48,200	22.9	1.2	19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4							1	1	1		2	4	4	4	1	9	3						
" " No. 2	...	96,800	21.1		11	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4							1	1	1		4	4	1	1	1	3	8						
" " No. 3	...	53,600	21.7		14	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4							1	1	1		4	4	1	1	1	1	1						
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF	...	1,900																		1	1	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1						
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF	...	9,200																		1	1	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1						
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF	...	200																		1	1	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1						
COOLICK AND DRUMCONDRA, PART OF	...	20,400	7.7		3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3							1	1	1		4	4	1	1	1	1	1						
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF	...	12,100	21.5		3															1	1	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1						
SOUTH CITY No. 1	...	38,900	18.4	1.4	13	2		1	2	2	4	4	2							1	1	1		1	2	1	6	1	4	1						
" " No. 2	...	14,400	25.3		7	1														1	1	1		1	2	2	2	2	4	1						
" " No. 3	...	45,700	12.6	1.1	11	2			1	1	5	4	3							1	1	1		1	2	1	6	1	4	1						
" " No. 4	...	33,900	20.0		13	2			1	1	1	3	6							1	1	1		1	2	1	6	1	3	1						
CLONDALKIN, PART OF	...	600																																		
CROMLIN, PART OF	...	6,100	8.5		1	1														1	1	1		1	2	1	6	1	1	1						
DONNYBROOK NOS. 1 AND 2	...	35,000	16.4		11	3	1				2	1	1							1	1	1		1	2	1	6	1	1	1						
NEW KILMAINHAM	...	16,900	6.2		2																															
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF	...	1,900																																		
RATHFARNHAM NOS. 1 AND 2	...	41,500	15.1		12	1				1	1	1	9								1	1		1	2	1	6	1	1	1						
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN	...	445,900	16.5	0.4	132	17	7	6	3	9	16	30	44							3	12	6	5	6	17	22	4	57	3	52	2					
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)						9	2		1	1	3	1	1					1				1								9						
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																				
CORK URBAN, No. 1	...	12,837	16.2		4					1			3																	3	3					
" " No. 2	...	11,208	18.6		4																									4	3					
" " No. 3	...	10,971	19.0		4																									1	1					
" " No. 4	...	8,642	30.2		5																									1	1					
" " No. 5	...	5,613	9.3		1																									1	1					
" " No. 6	...	12,005	47.8	4.3	11	1																								1	1					
" " No. 7	...	17,214	18.2	3.0	6	1																								1	1					
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK	...	78,490	23.3	1.3	35	4	1	3		5	8	14								1	2	5		2	2	1	19	2	16	2	2					

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 23rd January, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrheal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Jan. 2	1	.	.	36	.	13	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	16	74
	Jan. 9	3	.	13	29	.	14	.	.	—	.	.	11	.	.	—	12	71
	Jan. 16	.	.	.	18	.	13	.	.	—	.	.	5	1	.	—	11	49
	Jan. 23	1	.	.	24	.	14	13	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	10	54
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Jan. 2	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Jan. 9	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Jan. 16	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Jan. 23	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
Cork C.B.	Jan. 2	.	.	.	3	—	6	1	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	4	17	33
	Jan. 9	.	.	.	5	—	3	1	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	2	7	20
	Jan. 16	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	5	11
	Jan. 23	.	.	.	4	—	4	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	3	12
Limerick C.B.	Jan. 2	.	.	—	2	—	2	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	6
	Jan. 9	.	.	—	6	—	5	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	10
	Jan. 16	.	.	—	4	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Jan. 23	.	.	—	7	—	13	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	10
Waterford C.B.	Jan. 2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 9	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Jan. 16	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Jan. 23	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases** of the undermentioned **Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 23rd January 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 23rd January, 1932.			
	Jan. 2	Jan. 9	Jan. 16	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	5	9	8	1	2	.	7
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	6	6	7	1	4	.	4
Scarlet Fever ...	165	154	151	27	31	.	147*
Diphtheria ...	59	54	58	15	13	1	59
Pneumonia ...	28	32	24	7	8	4	19

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Principal Towns, 18.5 and 18.0: City of Dublin, 20.4 and 18.1; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 26.4 and 16.5; Cork, 8.6 and 18.0; Limerick, 13.2 and 20.5; and Waterford, 21.5 and 18.6.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.0 per 1,000. Among the 10 deaths from all causes for Limerick were one from measles and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years; of the 11 deaths for Waterford 3 were from measles and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and one of the 3 deaths for Dundalk was from scarlet fever.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 237—113 boys and 124 girls, and the number of deaths 184—97 males and 87 females. Thirty-one of the births and 21 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 163 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 20.4 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 18.3, 17.2, and 16.5.

There were 5 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from scarlet fever, 2 from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were one, 0, and 0, deaths from diphtheria were one, 0, and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, one, and 3.

Eleven deaths from influenza were registered. In the three preceding weeks deaths from influenza were 0, 4, and 12. There were 19 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 15 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 14 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (15 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of the disease) as against 17, 11, and 11 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, and 22 by diseases of the heart.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to influenza, one to meningitis, 6 to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 2 to congenital debility, and 8 to premature birth.

Thirty-eight of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 26 being infants under one year, of whom 14 were under one month old, and 55 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 43 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 163 deaths recorded, 68 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 30th January, was equal to an average annual rate of 17.1 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 13.9.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 14.2) the mortality among civilians was 13.4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12.8 and for Edinburgh, 13.4.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 30th January, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Saorstat Éireann** and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEOROLOGY for the week: also similar particulars for LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

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(a) See note at foot of fourth page. (b) According to the Census of 1926, but in the cases of the City of Dublin, the Borough of Dun Laoghaire, Edinburgh and Glasgow, the populations given are those estimated to the middle of 1932, while the estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1931. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (Sunshine returned by Trinity College). (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree

DEATHS.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTIMATED POPULATION OF 1932*	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM										Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified					
		ALL CAUSES	PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES	Total Deaths										Principal Epidemic Diseases																	
				Under 1 year	1-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza		Pneumonia	Other	Violence	Other Causes									
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CITY OF DUBLIN.		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	
NORTH CITY No. 1 EAST		35,600	13.2	1.2	9	5	2	1	3	1	3	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	3	1	
" " No. 1 WEST		43,200	18.1	1.9	15	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 2		26,800	23.3	1.6	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 3		33,900	18.6	1.6	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF		1,900	17.0	1.0	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF		9,200	17.0	1.0	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF		200	35.8	1.0	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, PART OF		20,400	35.8	1.0	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF		12,100	21.5	1.0	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
SOUTH CITY No. 1		36,900	21.2	1.0	15	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 2		14,400	14.5	3.6	4	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 3		45,700	21.7	1.0	19	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 4		33,900	27.7	1.5	18	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONALKIN, PART OF		600	6.00	1.0	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CRUMLIN, PART OF		35,000	17.9	1.0	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
DUNYBROOK Nos. 1 AND 2		16,900	12.3	1.0	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
NEW KILMAINHAM		1,900	1.00	1.0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF		41,500	25.1	1.0	20	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
RATHMUNES Nos. 1 AND 2		41,500	25.1	1.0	20	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN		415,900	20.4	0.6	163	26	7	5	2	10	17	41	55	1	1	2	2	11	15	4	9	19	18	1	81	1	68	4	1	1	
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)					21	1	1	1	1	2	4	7	6	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																															
CORK URBAN, No. 1		12,837	9.3	1.0	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 2		11,208	9.5	1.0	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 3		10,971	9.5	1.0	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 4		8,642	6.0	1.0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 5		5,613	9.3	1.0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 6		12,005	13.0	1.0	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 7		17,214	12.1	1.0	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK		78,400	8.6	1.0	13	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	

*See note at foot of fourth page.

The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 30th January, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Jan. 9	3	—	2	20	—	14	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	—	—	12	71
	Jan. 16	1	—	—	18	—	13	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	11	49
	Jan. 23	—	—	—	24	—	14	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	10	54
	Jan. 30	—	—	—	27	—	12	5	—	—	—	—	10	—	—	—	26	80
Dun-Laoghaire Boro.	Jan. 9	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
	Jan. 16	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Jan. 23	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
	Jan. 30	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1a	—	—	1
Cork C.B.	Jan. 9	—	—	—	5	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	1	7	20
	Jan. 16	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	5	11
	Jan. 23	—	—	—	4	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	3	12
	Jan. 30	—	—	—	1	—	3	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	3	2	12
Limerick C.B.	Jan. 9	—	—	—	6	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	10
	Jan. 16	—	—	—	4	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9
	Jan. 23	—	—	—	7	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10
	Jan. 30	—	—	—	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	7
Waterford C.B.	Jan. 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Jan. 16	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
	Jan. 23	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
	Jan. 30	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2

(a) Encephalitis Lethargica.

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 30th January 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 30th January, 1932.			
	Jan. 9	Jan. 16	Jan. 23	No. admitted	Dis-charged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	9	8	7	1	—	—	8
Typhus ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Small-pox ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Measles ...	6	7	4	4	3	—	5
Scarlet Fever ...	154	151	147	32	28	1	150*
Diphtheria ...	54	53	59	19	3	2	73
Pneumonia ...	32	24	10	4	7	—	16

* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the ~~Twelve~~ Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 18.4 and 18.0: City of Dublin, 18.8 and 18.2; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 13.2 and 16.5; Cork, 19.3 and 18.1; Limerick, 14.5 and 20.2; and Waterford, 27.4 and 22.0.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.9 per 1,000. One of the 11 deaths for Limerick was from diphtheria; of the 14 deaths for Waterford 2 were from measles, one from whooping cough and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and one of the 5 deaths for Sligo was from diphtheria.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 220—101 boys and 119 girls, and the number of deaths 167—81 males and 86 females. Twenty-five of the births and 17 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 150 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 18.8 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 17.2, 16.5, and 20.4.

There were 6 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were one, 0, and 0, deaths from diphtheria were 0, 0, and 2, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were one, 3, and 2.

Eleven deaths from influenza were registered. In the three preceding weeks deaths from influenza were 4, 12, and 11. There were 16 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 8 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 22 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (7 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous peritonitis and 2 from military tuberculosis), as against 11, 11, and 19 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 23 by diseases of the heart.

There was one case of suicide registered during the week.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to diphtheria, one to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to congenital debility, and 3 to premature birth.

Twenty-four of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 14 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 48 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 36 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 150 deaths recorded, 54 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 6th February was equal to an average annual rate of 19.2 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 11.5.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 15.4) the mortality among civilians was 14.7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15.3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15.9 and for Edinburgh, 15.9.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	BIRTHS		DEATHS		BIRTHS		CAUSED BY														METEOROLOGY											
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by		Deaths		Total Number		DEATHS														Air Temperature											
				From all Causes				Principal Epidemic Diseases														Absolute Highest		Absolute Lowest		Mean Maximum (a)		Mean Minimum (b)		Mean of (a) and (b)		Rainfall in Inches	
				From Principal Epidemic Diseases				Under 1 year of Age														Inquest Cases		Number Uncertified									
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..		680,919	21.7	18.4	0.9	284	240	27	77	.	2	.	2	4	4	14	14	5	17	25	39	5	8	83	5	
CITY OF DUBLIN ..		415,900	24.4	18.8	0.8	195	150	14	48	.	.	1	2	3	11	7	3	6	16	29	3	6	54	2	{ (c) 50.8 (d) 50.0 (e) 50.0	30.8 47.4 48.3	47.4 37.4 37.4	42.4 42.4 42.4	0.02 0.02 0.01	0.7			
BORO' DUN LAOGHAIRE		35,600	16.1	13.2	.	11	9	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	2	4	3	1	.	4	.	.	40	46.8	41.5	45.6	0.02	2.2
CORK CO. BOROUGH		78,490	19.9	19.3	1.3	30	29	4	8	
LIMERICK ..		39,448	26.1	14.5	1.3	2	11	1	3	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	2	1	2	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD, " ..		26,647	25.4	27.4	7.8	13	14	3	4	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	2	1	2	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST.		14,227	14	22.7	.	6	6	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK ..		13,996	13	22.7	.	6	6	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA ..		12,716	12	21.6	.	5	5	2	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD ..		11,879	11	21.6	.	3	3	2	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO ..		11,437	11	21.6	.	3	3	2	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE ..		10,533	10	21.6	.	7	7	2	1	1	
KILKENNY ..		10,046	10	21.6	.	1	1	1	1	1	
BELFAST CO BORO' ..		415,151	21.6	19.2	0.8	172	153	38	48	.	.	.	.	1	2	3	16	3	15	32	20	1	4	42	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDONDERRY ..		45,159	26.6	11.5	2.3	23	10	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
LONDON ..		4,377,000	15.1	15.4	—	1,270	1,286	85	616	15	1	11	7	8	81	105	9	144	75	94	40	64	.	48	28	46.4	31	7	39.1	0.00	10.3		
EDINBURGH ..		440,900	—	15.9	1.1	143	134	7	54	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	—	—	—	—	20	6	—	—	—	53.0	33.0	47.1	40.3	43.7	0.02	7.0	
GLASGOW ..		1,092,200	—	15.9	1.7	433	392	52	103	1	11	3	1	3	6	4	—	—	—	—	54	6	—	—	—	52.5	34.9	48.0	39.7	43.9	0.03	5.3	

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*See note at foot of fourth page. The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 6th February, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended		Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Polomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Jan.	16	1	.	.	18	.	13	.	.	—	.	.	5	1	.	—	11	49
	Jan.	23	.	.	.	24	.	14	.	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	10	54
	Jan.	30	.	.	.	27	.	12	5	.	—	.	.	10	.	.	26	80	
	Feb.	6	12	.	.	19	.	9	.	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	17	51	
Dun Laoghaire Boro.	Jan.	16	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Jan.	23	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Jan.	30	.	.	—	4	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1a	—	.	5
	Feb.	6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	Jan.	16	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	3	5	11
	Jan.	23	.	.	.	4	—	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	3	12
	Jan.	30	.	.	.	1	—	3	2	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	3	2	12
	Feb.	6	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.
Limerick C.B.	Jan.	16	.	.	—	4	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Jan.	23	.	.	—	7	—	2	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	10
	Jan.	30	.	.	—	4	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	2	7
	Feb.	6	.	.	—	13	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	19
Waterford C.B.	Jan.	16	.	.	—	.	3	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Jan.	23	.	.	—	.	2	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Jan.	30	.	.	—	.	2	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb.	6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.

(a) Encephalitis Lethargica.

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 6th February, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 6th February, 1932.			
	Jan. 16	Jan. 23	Jan. 30	No. admitted	Dis-charged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	8	7	8	2	1	1	8
Typhus	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles	7	4	5	1	.	.	6
Scarlet Fever	151	147	150	20	22	.	148*
Diphtheria	58	59	73	12	10	2	73
Pneumonia	24	19	16	8	4	.	20

* Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the **Twelve Principal Towns** are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 18.2 and 18.2; City of Dublin, 18.3 and 18.5; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 14.6 and 16.1; Cork, 15.9 and 16.8; Limerick, 17.2 and 18.5; and Waterford, 25.4 and 24.0.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.8 per 1,000. One of the 24 deaths for Cork was from whooping-cough; of the 13 deaths for Waterford one was from measles and one from diarrhæa and enteritis of a child under 2 years; and one of the 6 deaths for Kilkenny was from diphtheria.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 179—88 boys and 91 girls, and the number of deaths 164—77 males and 87 females. Twenty-two of the births and 18 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 146 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 18.3 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 16.5, 20.4, and 18.8.

There were 6 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 2 from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough and 3 from diarrhæa and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were 0, one, and 0, deaths from whooping-cough were 0, 0, and one, and deaths from diarrhæa and enteritis were 3, 2, and 3.

Eleven deaths from influenza were registered. In the three preceding weeks deaths from influenza were 12, 11, and 11. There were 17 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 8 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 8 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 19 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 17 deaths (13 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis and one from miliary tuberculosis), as against 11, 19, and 10 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, and 13 by diseases of the heart.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one of which was that of a female, aged 66 years, who was knocked down by a motor car.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 5 to broncho-pneumonia and one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhæa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation and one to congenital debility.

Twenty-five of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 3 were under one month old, and 49 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 36 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 146 deaths recorded, 62 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	BIRTHS		BIRTHS	CAUSED BY																	METEOROLOGY																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																												
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REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPULA- TION MIDDLE OF 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION	AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM													In Public Institutions	Inquest Cases	Number Uncertified						
				TOTAL DEATHS										Principal Epidemic Diseases																					
				Under 1 year	1-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Small-pox, Typhus, Enteric Fever, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Diseases, Res- piratory System	Violence	Other Causes										
CITY OF DUBLIN.																																			
North City		No. 1	35,600	13	4	1	1	1	2	2	7	18	19	2	2	9	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	
" "		No. 2	43,200	19	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
" "		No. 3	26,800	16	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLEKNOCK, PART OF		No. 4	33,900	10	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF		No. 5	1,900	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF		No. 6	9,200	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, PART OF		No. 7	20,400	5	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF		No. 8	12,100	5	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
SOUTH CITY		No. 9	36,900	11	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
" "		No. 10	14,400	15	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
" "		No. 11	45,700	17	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
" "		No. 12	33,900	13	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
DUBLIN, PART OF		No. 13	600	13	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
CRUMLIN, PART OF		No. 14	6,100	7	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
DUNYBROOK Nos. 1 AND 2		No. 15	35,000	12	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
NEW KILMAINHAM		No. 16	16,900	12	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF		No. 17	1,900	6	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
RATHMINES Nos. 1 AND 2		No. 18	41,500	13	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	12	19	2	2	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN		No. 19	415,900	146	17	6	2	4	6	18	44	49	1	2	1	3	11	13	4	12	17	25	2	56	4	62	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)																																			
CORK CO. BOROUGH.		No. 20	8.1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
CORK URBAN, No. 1		No. 21	12,887	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
" "		No. 22	11,208	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
" "		No. 23	10,971	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
" "		No. 24	8,642	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
" "		No. 25	5,613	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
" "		No. 26	12,005	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
" "		No. 27	26.1	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	
" "		No. 28	17,214	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK		No. 29	78,490	24	4	1	1	1	1	1	8	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	

*See note at foot of fourth page.

The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 13th February, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Jan. 23	.	.	.	24	.	14	2	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	10	54
	Jan. 30	.	.	.	27	.	12	5	.	—	.	.	10	.	.	—	26	80
	Feb. 6	.	.	.	19	.	9	.	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	17	51
	Feb. 13	.	.	.	12	.	8	1	1	—	.	.	8	.	.	—	17	47
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Jan. 23	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1a	—	.	3
	Jan. 30	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Feb. 6	.	.	—	4	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Feb. 13	.	.	—	—	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
Cork C.B.	Jan. 23	.	.	.	4	—	4	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	3	12
	Jan. 30	.	.	.	1	—	3	2	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	3	2	12
	Feb. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	.	7	10
	Feb. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.
Limerick C.B.	Jan. 23	.	.	—	7	—	2	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	10
	Jan. 30	.	.	—	4	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	2	7
	Feb. 6	.	.	—	13	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	19
	Feb. 13	1	.	—	9	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	13
Waterford C.B.	Jan. 23	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Jan. 30	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Feb. 6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 13	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1

(a) Encephalitis Lethargica.

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 13th February, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 13th February, 1932.			
	Jan. 23	Jan. 30	Feb. 6	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	7	8	8	.	1	.	7
Typhus	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles	4	5	6	.	3	.	3
Scarlet Fever	147	150	148	17	25	1	139*
Diphtheria	59	73	73	10	15	2	66
Pneumonia	19	16	20	12	4	1	27

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the Twelve Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 22.1 and 19.3; City of Dublin, 21.9 and 19.9; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 19.0 and 18.3; Cork, 15.9 and 14.9; Limerick, 22.5 and 16.9; and Waterford, 39.1 and 28.4.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.1 per 1,000. One of the 20 deaths for Waterford was from measles, and 2 of the 5 deaths for Dundalk were from diphtheria.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 238—120 boys and 118 girls, and the number of deaths 210—100 males and 110 females. Twenty-three of the births and 35 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 175 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 21.9 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 20.4, 18.8, and 18.3.

There were 12 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were one, 0, and 2, deaths from whooping-cough were 0, one, and one, deaths from diphtheria were 2, 2, and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, 3, and 3.

Five deaths from influenza were registered. In the three preceding weeks deaths from influenza were 11, 11, and 11. There were 17 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 23 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 20 deaths (16 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis and 2 from other forms of the disease, as against 19, 10, and 17 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Three deaths were caused by cancer, and 19 by diseases of the heart.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one due to drowning, one to burns, and one caused by being knocked down by a motor lorry.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to whooping-cough, 3 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to congenital debility, and 2 to premature birth.

Thirty-five of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 61 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 48 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 175 deaths recorded, 71 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 20th February was equal to an average annual rate of 20.6 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 17.3

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 16.1) the mortality among civilians was 16.3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 18.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 19.2 and for Edinburgh, 19.1.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 20th February, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Sarisat Eireann** and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEOROLOGY for the week: also similar particulars for LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	COLS.	BIRTHS					DEATHS															CAUSED BY										METEOROLOGY																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																												
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	COOLICK AND DRUMCONRA, PART OF	20,400	28.1	.	11	1	1	1	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	.	1	7	3	.	.	.	
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TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN	415,900	21.9	1.5	175	23	4	8	12	17	38	61	1	5	3	3	5	16	4	3	17	31	3	84	2	71	3	.	.		
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)				35	1	1	2	2	3	12	14		1	1	5	1	.	27	.	35	.	.	.	
CORK CO. BOROUGH.	CORK URBAN, No. 1	12,837	16.2	4.7	4	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	3	1	2	2	2	2	.
	" " No. 2	11,208	23.3	.	4	
	" " No. 3	10,971	28.5	.	3	1	.	.	.	1	1	
	" " No. 4	8,642	18.1	.	3	1	1	
	" " No. 5	5,613	18.6	.	2	1	.	.	.	1	1	
	" " No. 6	12,005	13.0	.	3	1	.	.	.	1	1	
	" " No. 7	17,214	6.1	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	
TOTAL, COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK	78,490	15.9	0.7	24	3	1	.	1	7	6	6						8	1	2	2	2	14	2	11	1	

¹See note at foot of fourth page. The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 20th February, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia, Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Jan. 30	30	..	..	27	..	12	5	..	—	..	..	10	..	..	—	26	80
	Feb. 6	6	..	..	19	..	9	..	..	—	..	..	4	..	..	—	17	51
	Feb. 13	..	..	..	12	..	8	1	..	—	..	..	2	..	..	—	17	47
	Feb. 20	..	..	..	17	..	18	2	..	—	..	..	4	..	..	—	24	65
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Jan. 30	30	..	..	—	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	1a	—	..	1
	Feb. 6	..	..	..	4	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	5
	Feb. 13	..	..	..	—	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	1
	Feb. 20	..	..	..	1	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	2
Cork C.B.	Jan. 30	30	..	..	1	—	3	2	..	..	..	—	1	..	..	3	2	12
	Feb. 6	..	..	..	..	—	..	1	..	..	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	10
	Feb. 13	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	—	..	..	..	..	7	7
	Feb. 20	..	..	..	..	—	2	1	..	..	..	—	..	..	..	1	3	7
Limerick C.B.	Jan. 30	30	..	..	4	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	2	7
	Feb. 6	..	..	..	13	..	5	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	1	19
	Feb. 13	1	..	..	9	..	3	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	13
	Feb. 20	..	..	..	4	—	9	1	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	2	16
Waterford C.B.	Jan. 30	30	..	..	..	—	2	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	2
	Feb. 6	..	..	..	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	..
	Feb. 13	..	..	..	..	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	1
	Feb. 20	..	..	..	..	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	1

(a) Encephalitis Lethargica.

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 20th February, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 20th February, 1932.			
	Jan. 30	Feb. 6	Feb. 13	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	8	8	7	..	1	..	6
Typhus ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles ...	5	6	3	2	2	..	3
Scarlet Fever ...	150	148	139	19	33	2	123*
Diphtheria ...	73	73	66	18	7	3	74
Pneumonia ...	16	20	27	5	8	..	24

* Exclusive of 22 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the Twelve Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 23.1 and 20.5; City of Dublin, 21.8 and 20.2; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 13.2 and 15.0; Cork, 34.5 and 21.4; Limerick, 33.0 and 21.8; and Waterford, 35.2 and 31.8.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.1 per 1,000. Three of the 52 deaths for Cork were from whooping-cough, and of the 18 deaths for Waterford 2 were from measles and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 215—113 boys and 102 girls, and the number of deaths 197—67 males and 130 females. Twenty-five of the births and 23 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 174 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 21.8 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 18.8, 18.3, and 21.9.

There were 7 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from scarlet fever, 2 from diphtheria, and 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were 0, 2, and one, deaths from diphtheria were 2, 0, and 3, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 3, 3, and 3.

Eleven deaths from influenza were registered. In the three preceding weeks deaths from influenza were 11, 11, and 5. There were 21 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 12 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 21 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 8 deaths (7 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from tuberculous meningitis) as against 10, 17, and 20 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 27 by diseases of the heart.

Four accidental deaths were registered, two of which were due to burns, and one (that of a male aged 64 years) caused by being knocked down by a motor cycle.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to influenza, one to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformation, 4 to congenital debility, and 7 to premature birth.

Forty of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 31 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 64 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 53 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 174 deaths recorded, 83 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 27th February was equal to an average annual rate of 23.2 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 15.0

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 16.3) the mortality among civilians was 16.4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 19.4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 21.5 and for Edinburgh, 20.8.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal cases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 27th February, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Belfast** and to **BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs**, with the **METEOROLOGY** for the week: also similar particulars for **LONDON**, **EDINBURGH**, and **GLASGOW**.

EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	BIRTHS		DEATHS												CAUSED BY										METEOROLOGY							
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by		Total Number	Principal Epidemic Diseases												Influenza			Tuberculosis		Diseases, Respiratory System		Violence	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Air Temperature					Rainfall in Inches
		From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases		Under 1 year of Age	65 years and upwards	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Pneumonia	Other	Cancer	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest	Mean Maximum (a)	Mean Minimum (b)					Mean of (a) and (b)					
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)		
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	23.0	23.1	1.1	301	302	51	110	.	2	1	3	2	6	17	13	2	22	25	35	5	5	130	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	23.8	21.8	0.9	190	174	31	64	.	.	1	.	2	4	11	7	1	10	21	23	4	4	83	2	{ (c) 49.3 (d) 50.0 (e) 49.2	28.2 35.7 35.0	47.0 47.6 47.1	37.0 34.5 38.7	42.0 40.1 42.9	0.01 0.01 0.01	8.1 8.1 —		
Boro' DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,600	11.7	13.2	.	8	9	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	6	1	4	.	.	24	2	51	39	46.5	42.7	41.6	0.01	4.8	
CORK Co. BOROUGH	78,400	27.9	24.5	2.0	42	52	6	19	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	4	1	1	1	1	4	.	.	24	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK "	39,448	23.8	23.0	7.8	18	25	4	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD, "	26,617	25.4	35.2	7.8	13	18	6	5	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	14,227	The annual rates for these			11	7	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK	13,996	urban districts will be			5	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA	12,716	shown in the			3	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD	11,879	Quarterly			3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11,437	Return			5	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE	10,583				1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KILKENNY	10,046				1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST Co Boro' ..	415,151	24.7	23.2	1.3	197	185	37	67	.	1	1	1	1	2	5	9	1	13	31	25	5	6	59	3	52.0	32.0	49.6	39.1	44.4	0.00	—		
LONDONDERRY "	43,159	25.4	15.0	1.2	22	13	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	3	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON ..	4,377,000	15.2	16.3	—	1,273	1,322	96	683	.	20	2	8	8	13	47	87	12	160	119	85	47	66	—	2	49.0	32.0	45.7	37.3	41.5	0.15	9.3		
EDINBURGH ..	440,000	20.8	2.6	—	123	175	13	91	.	3	.	.	2	16	—	—	—	—	35	5	—	—	—	—	51.0	32.0	45.9	37.9	41.9	0.10	12.8		
GLASGOW ..	1,092,200	—	21.5	1.7	473	449	106	124	.	15	10	3	3	10	15	—	—	—	146	15	—	—	—	—	51.3	32.7	47.2	38.3	42.8	0.02	9.8		

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TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 27th February, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

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Dublin City	Feb. 6	2	19	..	9	4	17	51
	Feb. 13	12	..	8	1	1	8	17	47
	Feb. 20	17	..	18	2	4	24	65
	Feb. 27	19	..	16	3	5	16	59
Dun Laoghaire Boro	Feb. 6	—	4	—	1	—	..	—	—	..	5
	Feb. 13	—	..	—	1	—	..	—	—	..	1
	Feb. 20	1	..	1	—	2
	Feb. 27a
Cork C.B.	Feb. 6	1	2	7	10
	Feb. 13	1	3	7
	Feb. 20	2	1	2	1	8	14
	Feb. 27	2	1	1
Limerick C.B.	Feb. 6	—	13	—	5	—	—	1	19
	Feb. 13	1	9	..	3	3	13
	Feb. 20	4	..	9	1	2	16
	Feb. 27	6	..	5	1	12
Waterford C.B.	Feb. 6	—	..	—	1	—	—	..	1
	Feb. 13	1	1
	Feb. 20	1	1
	Feb. 27	3	1	..	3

(a) Return not received.

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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 27th February, 1932.			
	Feb. 6	Feb. 13	Feb. 20	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	8	7	6	..	3	..	3
Typhus	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles	6	3	3	..	1	..	2
Scarlet Fever	148	139	123	25	31	1	116*
Diphtheria	73	66	74	10	17	2	65
Pneumonia	20	27	24	10	6	1	27

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.1 per 1,000. Among the 33 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from whooping-cough and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of child under 2 years; of the 18 deaths for Limerick one was from scarlet fever, and of the 27 deaths for Waterford, two were from measles and one from diphtheria. The 11 deaths for Galway included one from measles.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 214—105 boys and 109 girls, and the number of deaths 191—79 males and 112 females. Twenty-five of the births and 20 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 171 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 21.4 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 18.3, 21.9, and 21.8.

There were 7 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from dysentery, 2 from whooping-cough, and 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were one, 5, and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 3, 3, and 4. There were no deaths from dysentery in the three preceding weeks.

Eleven deaths from influenza were registered. In the three preceding weeks deaths from influenza were 11, 5, and 11. There were 21 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, 5 from lobar pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 32 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (15 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from tuberculous enteritis) as against 17, 20, and 8 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 21 by diseases of the heart.

One accidental death was registered, due to carbolic acid poisoning.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to whooping-cough, one to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 7 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to congenital debility, and 4 to premature birth.

Thirty-six of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 27 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 71 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 51 were aged 70 years or over.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	BIRTHS		TOTAL NUMBER	DEATHS														CAUSED BY										METEOROLOGY																				
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons represented by			From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases	Principal Epidemic Diseases														Total Deaths	Under 1 year of Age	65 years and upwards	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery				Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Diseases Respiratory System	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Air Temperature			Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine		
		Deaths	Persons represented by				Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Diseases Respiratory System	Inquest Cases				In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest																Mean Maximum (A)	Mean Minimum (B)	Mean of (A) and (B)			Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine
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TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended **Saturday, 5th March, 1932**, in relation to the **City of Dublin** and the **County Borough of Cork** by Registrars' Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.			ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		DEATHS.																												
			ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1932†	ALL CAUSES	AGES AT DEATH												DEATHS FROM																
					Principal Epidemic Diseases								Tuber- culosis				Diseases Res- piratory System		Other Causes	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified											
					Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence																
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)		
CITY OF DUBLIN.																																	
NORTH CITY																																	
" No. 1 EAST			35,600	17.6	1.2	12	12	2	3	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					2	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
" No. 1 WEST			48,200	25.3		21	21	3	3	1	1	1	2	2	9	9					1	1	1	1	1	4	5	5	6	8	1		
" No. 2			26,800	15.6		10	10	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
" No. 3			33,900	15.5		10	10	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF			1,900	5.7		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH NO. 1, PART OF			9,200	30.7		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
COOLCARRIG AND HOWTH NO. 2, PART OF			200	30.7		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
COOLCARRIG AND HOWTH NO. 2, PART OF			20,400	34.5		12	12	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF			12,100	8.6		18	18	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
SOUTH CITY																																	
" No. 1			36,900	18.4		13	13	3	3	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
" No. 2			14,400	18.1		13	13	3	3	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
" No. 3			14,700	28.5	3.4	23	23	5	5	2	2	1	4	4	7	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1		
" No. 4			33,900	36.9		24	24	5	5	2	2	1	4	4	7	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1		
CLONALKIN, PART OF			600	—		2	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
CRUMLIN, PART OF			6,100	17.1		2	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
DUNYBROOK NOS. 1 AND 2			35,000	6.0		4	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
NEW KILMAINHAM			16,900	15.4		4	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF			1,900	15.4		4	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	6	6					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF			41,500	25.1	1.3	20	20	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	12	12					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
RATHFARNHAM NOS. 1 AND 2			41,500	25.1	1.3	20	20	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	12	12					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN			415,900	21.4	0.9	171	171	27	8	1	3	8	15	38	71	1	1	1	2	2	4	11	15	1	10	21	34	1	71	1	71	1	4
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)						20						1	6	4	9																		
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																	
CORK URBAN, No. 1			12,837	28.4	4.1	7	7	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
" No. 2			11,208	14.0		3	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
" No. 3			10,971	14.3		3	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
" No. 4			8,642	24.1		4	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
" No. 5			5,613	37.2		4	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
" No. 6			12,005	17.4		5	5	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
" No. 7			17,214	24.2		7	7	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3					1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK			78,490	21.9	1.3	33	33	3	1	1	1	3	7	19	19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	4	5	5	6	8	1	

*See note at foot of fourth page.

The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926. (a) Dysentery.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 5th March, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus	Prexix and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Feb. 13	.	.	.	.	12	.	8	1	1	—	.	.	8	.	.	—	17	47
	Feb. 20	.	.	.	.	17	.	18	2	—	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	24	65
	Feb. 27	.	.	.	.	19	.	16	3	—	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	16	59
	March 5	.	.	.	.	18	.	15	3	1	—	.	.	5	1	.	—	13	56
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Feb. 13	.	.	—	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Feb. 20	.	.	—	—	—	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Feb. 27a	.	.	—	—	—	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	7
	March 5	.	.	—	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	Feb. 13	.	.	.	.	—	—	2	1	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	1	7	10
	Feb. 20	.	.	.	.	—	—	2	1	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	3	24	7
	Feb. 27	.	.	.	.	1	—	2	1	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	3	8	14
	March 5	.	.	.	.	—	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	1	9
Limerick C.B.	Feb. 13	1	.	—	—	9	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	13
	Feb. 20	.	.	—	—	4	—	9	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	2	16
	Feb. 27	.	.	—	—	6	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	12
	March 5	.	.	—	—	4	—	4	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
Waterford C.B.	Feb. 13	.	.	—	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Feb. 20	.	.	—	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Feb. 27	.	.	—	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	March 5	.	.	—	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2

(a) Return not received.

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 5th March, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 5th March, 1932.			
	Feb. 13	Feb. 20	Feb. 27	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	7	6	3	.	.	.	3
Typhus	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles	3	3	2	14	2	.	14
Scarlet Fever	139	123	116	19	22	.	113*
Diphtheria	66	74	65	13	16	.	62
Pneumonia	27	24	27	11	3	3	32

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial-correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the **Twelve Principal Towns** are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Principal Towns, 22.1 and 22.5; City of Dublin, 23.7 and 22.2; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 24.9 and 18.7; Cork, 22.6 and 23.7; Limerick, 13.2 and 23.1; and Waterford, 39.1 and 41.6.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.2 per 1,000. Among the 34 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from whooping-cough and 2 from diphtheria, and of the 20 deaths for Waterford one was from diphtheria.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 227—109 boys and 118 girls, and the number of deaths 204—102 males and 102 females. Nineteen of the births and 15 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 189 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 23.7 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 21.9, 21.8, and 21.4.

There were 12 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from measles, one from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough and five from diphtheria. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were one, one, and 0, from whooping-cough 5, 0, and 2, and from diphtheria 3, 2, and 0. There were no deaths from measles in the three preceding weeks.

Five deaths from influenza were registered. In the three preceding weeks deaths from influenza were 5, 11, and 11. There were 28 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 17 from broncho-pneumonia, 4 from lobar pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 27 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 17 deaths (14 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and one from tuberculous peritonitis) as against 20, 8, and 16 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Thirteen deaths were caused by cancer, and 23 by diseases of the heart.

Three accidental deaths were registered, all due to burns. There was also one case of suicide (that of a male aged 55 years).

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 3 were due to whooping-cough, 2 to influenza, one to meningitis, one to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to pneumonia, 2 to congenital malformation, 3 to congenital debility, and 6 to premature birth.

Forty-four of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 27 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 62 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 46 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 189 deaths recorded, 94 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 12th March was equal to an average annual rate of 19.6 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 21.9.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 15.8) the mortality among civilians was 15.6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 20.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 21.0 and for Edinburgh, 20.4.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 12th March, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Feb. 20	.	.	.	17	.	18	23	.	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	24	65
	Feb. 27	.	.	.	19	.	16	33	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	16	59
	March 5	.	.	.	18	.	15	1	—	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	13	56
	March 12	.	1	.	15	.	20	.	—	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	16	62
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Feb. 20	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Feb. 27	.	.	—	—	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	7
	March 5	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	March 12	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	Feb. 20	.	.	.	.	—	2	1	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	3	7
	Feb. 27	.	.	.	.	—	3	1	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	8	14
	March 5	.	.	.	1	—	3	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	3	1	9
	March 12	.	.	.	3	—	4	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	3	3	15
Limerick C.B.	Feb. 20	.	.	—	4	—	9	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	2	16
	Feb. 27	.	.	—	6	—	5	4	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	12
	March 5	.	.	—	4	—	4	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
	March 12	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	1	12
Waterford C.B.	Feb. 20	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Feb. 27	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	March 5	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	March 12	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.

(a) Pyrexia

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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 12th March, 1932.			
	Feb. 20	Feb. 27	March 5	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	6	3	3	.	.	.	3
Typhus	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles	3	2	14	3	10	1	6
Scarlet Fever	123	116	113	25	16	1	121*
Diphtheria	74	65	62	16	8	4	66
Pneumonia	24	27	32	9	6	4	31

* Exclusive of 13 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.8 per 1,000. Among the 30 deaths from all causes for Limerick was one from enteric fever, one of the 7 deaths for Dundalk was from whooping-cough, and of the 8 deaths for Kilkenny one was from measles.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 197—103 boys and 94 girls, and the number of deaths 178—95 males and 83 females. Sixteen of the births and 12 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 166 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 20.8 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 21.8, 21.4, and 23.7.

There were 6 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 3 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 0, 2, and 5, from diphtheria 2, 0, and 5, and from diarrhoea and enteritis under 2 years 4, 4, and 0.

Two deaths from influenza were registered. In the three preceding weeks deaths from influenza were 11, 11, and 5. There were 23 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 13 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 8 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 23 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 20 deaths (16 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 8, 16, and 17 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 26 by diseases of the heart.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one of which (that of a child aged 9 months) was due to scalds. There was also one death by suicide (that of a female aged 36 years).

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 2 were due to whooping-cough, 2 to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital debility, and one to premature birth.

Twenty-eight of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 13 being infants under one year, of whom one was under one month old, and 58 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 46 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 166 deaths recorded, 67 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended **Saturday, 19th March, 1932**, in relation to the **City of Dublin** and the **County Borough of Cork*** by Registrars Districts, particulars of **DEATHS** from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the **PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES**.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		TOTAL DEATHS	AGES AT DEATH											DEATHS FROM											Number Uncertified			
		ALL CAUSES	PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES		Principal Epidemic Diseases											Deaths from														
					Under 1 year	1-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Small pox, Typhus, Enteric Fever, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Tuberculosis		Cancer	Diseases Respiratory System		Violence	Other Causes	Inquest Cases		In Public Institutions		
																			Pulmonary	Other Forms		Pneumonia	Other							
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
CITY OF DUBLIN.	COLS.																													
North City No. 1 East	...	35,600	24.9	1.5	17	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	6					1	1		1	2	1	3	1	3	9	7	1	
" " No. 1 West	...	48,000	21.7	1.2	18	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1					1	1		1	1	1	2	1	3	3	6	6	
" " No. 2	...	33,800	21.7		13	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1					1	1		1	1	1	1	1	9	1	1	1	
BLANCARSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF	...	33,900	5.7		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF	...	9,200			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF	...	20,400	10.2	2.6	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																	
COOLOCK AND DRUGCONDA, PART OF	...	12,100	21.5		5							2	3																	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF	...																													
SOUTH CITY No. 1	...	35,900	15.5	1.4	11	2	2	2	2	2	2	4	2																	
" " No. 2	...	14,400	32.6	3.6	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	7																	
" " No. 3	...	45,700	21.7		19	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1																	
" " No. 4	...	33,900	18.5		12	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	1																	
CLONDALKIN, PART OF	...	600	34.2		4	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	2																	
CRUMLIN, PART OF	...	6,100			4	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3																	
DONNYBROOK NOS. 1 AND 2	...	35,000	30.9		14	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	8																	
NEW KILMAINHAM	...	10,900	30.9	3.1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	6																	
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF	...	1,900										1	1																	
RATHMINES NOS. 1 AND 2	...	41,500	22.6		18							1	3	8																
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN	...	415,900	20.8	0.8	166	13	9	6	8	8	23	41	58				3	1	2	2	16	4	6	23	27	5	77	2	67	2
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)	...				12						3	3	6									2					8		12	
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																														
CORK URBAN, No. 1	...	12,837	20.3		5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3									1	1							
" " No. 2	...	11,208	9.3		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																	
" " No. 3	...	10,971	28.5	4.8	6	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1																	
" " No. 4	...	8,642	18.1		3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																	
" " No. 5	...	5,613	9.3		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																	
" " No. 6	...	12,005	13.0		3							2	1																	
" " No. 7	...	17,214	9.1		3							1	1																	
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK	...	78,490	15.3	0.7	23	3	2	1	1	1	3	6	7								1	1	2	2			15	1	11	1

*See note at foot of fourth page.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 19th March, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis. Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Feb. 27	.	.	.	19	.	16	3	.	—	.	.	5	1	.	—	16	59
	March 5	.	.	.	18	.	15	3	1	—	.	.	5	2	.	—	13	56
	March 12	.	1a	.	15	.	20	.	.	—	.	.	5	2	.	—	16	62
	March 19	.	.	.	17	.	6	1	.	—	.	.	7	.	.	—	19	50
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Feb. 27	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	7
	March 5	.	.	—	2	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	March 12	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	March 19	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	Feb. 27	.	.	.	1	—	2	1	1	.	.	—	2	.	.	.	8	14
	March 5	.	.	.	3	—	3	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	.	13	9
	March 12	.	.	.	3	—	4	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	.	3	15
	March 19	.	.	5	1	—	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	1	9
Limerick C.B.	Feb. 27	.	.	—	6	—	5	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	12
	March 5	.	.	—	4	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
	March 12	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	1	12
	March 19	.	.	—	4	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	1	10
Waterford C.B.	Feb. 27	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	March 5	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	March 12	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	March 19	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.

(a) Pyrexia

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 19th March, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 19th March, 1932.			
	Feb. 27	March 5	March 12	No. admitted	Dis-charged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	3	3	3	2	.	.	5
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	2	14	6	2	3	.	5
Scarlet Fever ...	116	113	121	26	27	.	120*
Diphtheria ...	65	62	66	10	15	1	60
Pneumonia ...	27	32	31	5	6	3	27

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the **Twelve Principal Towns** are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Principal Towns, 16.8 and 20.6 ; City of Dublin, 17.2 and 20.8 ; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 4.4 and 15.4 ; Cork, 15.9 and 18.9 ; Limerick, 25.1 and 25.5 ; and Waterford, 19.6 and 33.8.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.7 per 1,000. Among the 19 deaths from all causes for Limerick was one from diphtheria, and two of the 10 deaths for Waterford were from whooping-cough.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 188—98 boys and 90 girls, and the number of deaths 152—71 males and 81 females. Twelve of the births and 15 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 137 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 17.2 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 21.4, 23.7, and 20.8.

There were 6 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases all of which were from whooping-cough. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 2, 5, and 3.

Four deaths from influenza were registered. There were 15 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 14 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (10 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 16, 17, and 20 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, and 15 by diseases of the heart.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 3 were due to whooping-cough, 2 to meningitis, 3 to bronchitis, two to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 5 to premature birth and three to congenital debility.

Thirty-one of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 36 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 23 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 137 deaths recorded, 61 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs ; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 26th March was equal to an average annual rate of 15.7 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 19.6

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 15.4) the mortality among civilians was 14.5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 17.5 and for Edinburgh, 16.5.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 26th March, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns o** **Saorstát Éireann** and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEOROLOGY for the week; also similar particulars for LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by		BIRTHS		CAUSED BY														METEOROLOGY																																				
		DEATHS		Total Number		Principal Epidemic Diseases														Air Temperature																																				
		From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	Violence	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest	Mean Maximum (a)	Mean Minimum (b)	Mean of (a) and (b)	Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine																						
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TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 26th March, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	March 5	.	.	.	18	.	15	3	1	—	.	.	5	1	.	—	13	56
	March 12	.	1a	.	15	.	20	1	.	—	.	.	2	2	.	—	16	62
	March 19	.	.	.	17	.	6	5	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	19	50
	March 26	3	.	.	17	.	9	5	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	18	56
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	March 5	.	.	—	2	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	7
	March 12	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	March 19	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
	March 26	.	.	—	5	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
Cork C.B.	March 5	.	.	.	1	—	3	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	3	1	9
	March 12	.	.	.	3	—	4	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	3	3	15
	March 19	.	.	5	1	—	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	1	9
	March 26	.	.	2	3	—	7	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	5	3	25
Limerick C.B.	March 5	.	.	—	4	—	4	1	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	9
	March 12	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	1	12
	March 19	.	.	—	4	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	10
	March 26	.	.	—	5	—	3	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	10
Waterford C.B.	March 5	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	March 12	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	March 19	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	March 26	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1

(a) Pyrexia

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 26th March, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 26th March, 1932.			
	March 5	March 12	March 19	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	3	3	5	1	1	.	5
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	14	6	5	2	2	.	5
Scarlet Fever ...	113	121	120	18	16	.	122*
Diphtheria ...	62	66	60	11	13	.	58
Pneumonia ...	32	31	27	8	5	1	29

* Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

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Twelve Principal Towns, 17.7 and 19.4; City of Dublin, 16.7 and 19.6; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 14.6 and 14.6; Cork, 25.9 and 19.9; Limerick, 14.5 and 23.1; and Waterford, 15.7 and 24.5.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.5 per 1,000. Among the 10 deaths from all causes for Dun Laoghaire were one from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years; of the 39 deaths for Cork 3 were from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and one of the 11 deaths for Limerick and one of the 5 deaths for Galway were from diphtheria.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 267—142 boys and 125 girls, and the number of deaths 146—73 males and 73 females. Forty of the births and 13 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 133 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 16.7 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 23.7, 20.8, and 17.2.

There were 10 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were one, 0, and 0, from whooping-cough 5, 3, and 6, from diphtheria 5, one, and 0, and from diarrhoea and enteritis under 2 years 0, 2, and 0.

Two deaths from influenza were registered. There were 12 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 12 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (13 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 17, 20, and 14 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 20 by diseases of the heart.

One accidental death (that of a child aged 1 year 9 months), due to burns, was registered.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 4 were due to whooping-cough, one to tuberculous meningitis, 3 to convulsions, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, and 3 to congenital debility.

Twenty-seven of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 18 being infants under one year, of whom one was under one month old, and 37 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 25 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 133 deaths recorded, 71 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended Saturday, 2nd April, 1932, in relation to the City of Dublin and the County Borough of Cork* by Registrar Districts, particulars of Deaths from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the principal epidemic diseases.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION OF MIDDLE 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION	AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM										In Public Institutions	Inquest Cases	Number Uncertified					
			Principal Epidemic Diseases										Tuber- culosis	Cancer	Diseases		Violence	Other Causes												
			Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Pneumonia	Other			Res- piratory System															
																Under 1 year			1-5	5-15	15-25	25-45				45-65	65 years and over			
			ALL CAUSES	PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
CITY OF DUBLIN.																														
North City, No. 1 East	35,600	13.2		1.5	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	2	1			1				1	1	2	1	2	1	3	2	2	
" No. 1 West	43,200	16.9		3.6	14	3				5	3	3	2	4			2				5	1	1	1	3	1	3	11	4	
" No. 2	26,800	19.5		10	2	2				2	2	2	4								1		2	5	1	3	4	6	4	
" No. 3	33,900	15.5		10	2	1	1			2	4											3	2		1	3	3	3	4	
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLECKNOCK, PART OF	1,900																													
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF	9,200																													
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF	200																													
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, PART OF	20,400	17.9		7						1	4	2									1		1	2	1					
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF	12,100	25.9		6						1	3	1											1	2	1					
SOUTH CITY No. 1	36,900	15.5		1.4	11	2				3	4	1					1				2	1		1	2	1	3	8	8	
" No. 2	14,400	21.7		1.1	6	2	1	2	2	1	5	3										2	1	1	1	3	1	4	1	0
" No. 3	45,700	13.7		4.6	12	2	1	1	1	2	3	4	6					1	1			2	1	2					13	
" No. 4	33,800	29.2			19	4	1	1																						
CLONDALKIN, PART OF	600																													
GRIMLIN, PART OF	6,100	25.6			8					1	1	2																		
DONNYBROOK Nos. 1 AND 2	35,000	10.4			7	1				1	1	1	2																	
NEW KILMANHAM	16,900	18.5			6	1				3		1	2																	
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF	1,900				1																									
RATHMINES Nos. 1 AND 2	41,500	15.1		1.3	12	1		1	2	4	4							1			1	2		1	1	2	5	6	6	
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN	415,900	16.7		1.3	133	18	5	4	7	25	33	37			1	4	3	2	2	13	6	10	12	18	1	61	2	71		
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)					13	1				3	4	5							1		1		2	1	1		7		13	
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																														
Cork Urban, No. 1	12,837	24.4		4.7	6	1				1	2	1	3																	
" No. 2	11,208	23.3			5	2				2	1	1																		
" No. 3	10,971	33.3			7	1				1	1	2																		
" No. 4	8,642	18.1			3	1				1	1	1																		
" No. 5	5,613	55.7			6	1				1	2	1																		
" No. 6	12,005	13.0			3	1				1	1	1																		
" No. 7	17,214	27.3			9	1				3		1																		
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK	78,490	25.9		3.3	39	6	1	3	1	4	7	6	11			3	1	1	1	1	5	1	1	2	1	2	23	2	15	2

*See note at foot of fourth page.

†The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended Saturday, 2nd April, 1932, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	March 12	.	1a	.	15	.	20	.	.	—	.	.	2	12	.	—	16	62
	March 19	.	.	.	17	.	6	4	.	—	.	.	2	12	.	—	19	50
	March 26	3	.	.	17	.	9	5	.	—	.	.	4	12	.	—	18	56
	April 2	.	.	.	19	.	12	4	.	—	.	.	12	.	.	—	15	52
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	March 12	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	March 19	.	.	—	5	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
	March 26	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	April 2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	March 12	.	.	12	3	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	3	3	15
	March 19	.	.	5	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	5	1	9
	March 26	.	.	12	3	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	5	3	25
	April 2	.	.	.	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	12	.	.	7	7	14
Limerick C.B.	March 12	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	1	12
	March 19	.	.	—	4	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	1	10
	March 26	.	.	—	5	—	3	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	10
	April 2	.	.	—	4	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	7	14
Waterford C.B.	March 12	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	March 19	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	March 26	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	April 2	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1

(a) Pyrexia

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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 2nd April 1932.			
	March 12	March 19	March 26	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	3	5	5	6	.	.	11
Typhus	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles	6	5	5	2	1	.	6
Scarlet Fever	121	120	122	20	14	1	127*
Diphtheria	66	60	58	15	8	2	63
Pneumonia	31	27	29	2	6	.	25

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City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 232—123 boys and 109 girls, and the number of deaths 152—61 males and 91 females. Twenty-three of the births and 17 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 135 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 16.9 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 20.8, 17.2, and 16.7.

There were 14 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from measles, one from scarlet fever, 9 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were 0, 0, and 1, from whooping-cough 3, 6, and 4, from diphtheria 1, 0 and 3, and from diarrhoea and enteritis under 2 years 2, 0, and 2.

Two deaths from influenza were registered. There were 15 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 11 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 11 deaths. There were no deaths from measles during the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (15 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 20, 14, and 19 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 16 by diseases of the heart.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one, that of a child aged 3 years 8 months, being due to burns.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 4 were due to whooping-cough, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to bronchitis, one to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty-six of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 22 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 33 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 24 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 135 deaths recorded, 57 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions. **CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.**—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

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Dublin City	March 19				17		6	1					7				19	50
	March 26	3			17		9	5									18	56
	April 2				19		12	4					2				15	52
	April 9				21		20						5				7	53
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	March 19			—	1	—				—		—				—		1
	March 26			—	5	—				—		—				—		5
	April 2			—	1	—	2			—		—				—		3
	April 9			—	1	—	1	2		—		—				—		4
Cork C.B.	March 19			5	1	—	2					—					1	9
	March 26			2	3	—	7					—					3	25
	April 2				1	—	2					—	5				7	14
	April 9			3	3	—	5		2			—	1			1	4	19
Limerick C.B.	March 19			—	4	—	4			—		—	1			—	1	10
	March 26			—	5	—	3			—		—				—	1	10
	April 2			—	4	—	3			—		—				—	7	14
	April 9			—		—	6			—		—				—		6
Waterford C.B.	March 19			—		—	1			—		—				—		1
	March 26			—		—	1			—		—				—		1
	April 2			—		—	1			—		—				—		1
	April 9	1		—		—	1			—		—				—		2

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	March 19	March 26	April 2	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	5	5	11		1		10
Typhus							
Small-pox							
Measles	5	5	6	2	2	1	5
Scarlet Fever	120	122	127	22	17	1	131*
Diphtheria	60	58	63	13	15	3	58
Pneumonia	27	29	25	4	6		23

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Twelve Principal Towns, 15.9 and 16.9; City of Dublin, 14.3 and 16.3; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 16.1 and 10.6; Cork, 20.6 and 19.8; Limerick, 11.9 and 18.5; and Waterford, 17.6 and 20.1.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week were equal to an annual rate of 0.9 per 1,000. Among the 31 deaths for Cork two were due to diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 247—126 boys and 121 girls, and the number of deaths 134—72 males and 62 females. Twenty-eight of the births and 20 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 114 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 14.3 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 17.2, 16.7, and 16.9.

There were 9 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising two from measles, 5 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were 0, 0, and 1, from whooping-cough 6, 4, and 9, from diphtheria 0, 3, and 1, and from diarrhoea and enteritis under 2 years 0, 2, and 2.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 1 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 9 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (8 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 14, 19, and 19 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, and 17 by diseases of the heart.

Four accidental deaths were registered, including one from burns, one from drowning, and one due to a motor bus.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 2 were due to whooping-cough, 2 to meningitis, one to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, one to bronchitis, one to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Twenty-four of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 16 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 36 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 27 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 114 deaths recorded, 50 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 16th April was equal to an average annual rate of 13.9 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 18.5

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 13.0) the mortality among civilians was 12.6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15.7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15.9 and for Edinburgh, 15.7.

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TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 16th April, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of saorstat Éireann** and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEOROLOGY for the week: also similar particulars for LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	BIRTHS		CAUSED BY																METEOROLOGY																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by		Total Number		Under 1 year of Age		65 years and upwards		Principal Epidemic Diseases						Influenza		Pneumonia		Violence		In Public Institutions		Number Uncertified		Air Temperature		Absolute Highest		Absolute Lowest		Mean Maximum (a)		Mean Minimum (b)		Mean of (a) and (b)		Rainfall in Inches		Hours of Bright Sunshine																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																									
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Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTIMATED POPULATION OF 1982†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION	AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM										Number Uncertified													
				ALL CAUSES						Principal Epidemic Diseases				Tuberculosis	Cancer	Diseases Respiratory System		Other Causes	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions																	
				Under 1 year	1-2	2-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles			Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough				Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza		Other Forms	Pneumonia	Other	Violence									
				(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)					
CITY OF DUBLIN.																																					
NORTH CITY No. 1 EAST				35,600	8.8		6	2							3										1								1				
" " No. 1 WEST				10,9	10.9		9	2						1	3												2						3				
" " No. 2				28,200	13.6		7	2						2	3												1						4				
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF				33,600	18.6	1.6	12	1						4																			5				
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1 PART OF				5,200	11.3		2							2																			1				
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2 PART OF				5,200																													1				
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, PART OF				20,400	30.7		12	1						4	5																		2				
FINGLAS AND GRASNEVIN, PART OF				12,100	8.6		2							1																			1				
SOUTH CITY No. 1				36,900	19.8	2.8	11	2	1	1			4	2	2	1				1			3			2							8				
" " No. 2				14,400	21.7		6																										2				
" " No. 3				45,700	16.0	1.1	14	2	1	1			1	2	2	1							1										3				
" " No. 4				33,900	9.2	3.1	6	1																									2				
CLONDALKIN, PART OF				600																													1				
DUNYBROOK, PART OF				6,100	8.5		1																										1				
DUNYBROOK Nos. 1 AND 2				35,000	6.0		4	2																									1				
NEW KILMAINHAM				16,900	27.8	3.1	9	2	1	1			1	1	3																		2				
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF				1,900																													1				
RATHMINES Nos. 1 AND 2				41,500	12.6	2.5	10	1	1				2	1	5																		3				
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN				415,900	14.3	1.1	114	16	3	5	6	6	12	30	36		2		5	1	1		8	4	8	6	12	4	63	2	50	4					
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)							20	3	1	1		1	2	6	6											2	2	2	1	13	1	20					
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																					
CORK URBAN, No. 1				12,837	28.4		7								3																						
" " No. 2				11,208	9.3		2																														
" " No. 3				10,971	9.5		2																														
" " No. 4				8,642	12.1		2																														
" " No. 5				5,613	18.6	9.3	2																														
" " No. 6				12,006	30.4		2																														
" " No. 7				17,214	27.3	3.0	7	1	1																												
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK				78,400	20.6	1.3	31	4	3		1	4	10	9							2		1			2	4						11				

*See note at foot of fourth page

^tThe populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1924.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 16th April, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	March 26	3	..	..	17	..	9	5	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	18	66
	April 2	2	..	..	19	..	12	4	..	..	..	..	12	..	..	..	15	52
	April 9	9	..	..	21	..	20	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	7	53
	April 16	..	..	..	21	..	10	6	3	..	..	..	12	..	1a	..	20	63
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	March 26	..	..	—	5	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
	April 2	..	..	—	1	—	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
	April 9	..	..	—	1	—	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
	April 16	..	..	—	1	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cork C.B.	March 26	..	..	12	3	—	7	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	5	3	25
	April 2	..	..	..	1	—	2	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	..	1	7	14
	April 9	..	..	3	3	..	5	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	4	19
	April 16	..	..	1	..	—	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	8	8
Limerick C.B.	March 26	..	..	—	5	—	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	1	10
	April 2	..	..	—	4	—	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	7	14
	April 9	..	..	—	..	—	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	6
	April 16	..	..	—	3	—	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	4	10
Waterford C.B.	March 26	..	..	—	..	—	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	1
	April 2	..	..	—	..	—	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	1
	April 9	1	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	2
	April 16	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	..

(a) Encephalitis Lethargica

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 16th April, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 16th April, 1932.			
	March 26	April 2	April 9	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	5	5	4	1	..	..	5
Typhus	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles	5	6	5	1	1	..	5
Scarlet Fever	122	127	131	17	32	..	116*
Diphtheria	58	63	58	15	6	..	67
Pneumonia	29	25	23	3	7	..	19

* Exclusive of 22 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities, but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

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Twelve Principal Towns, 16.6 and 16.8; City of Dublin, 16.2 and 16.0; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 27.8 and 16.5; Cork, 23.9 and 21.8; Limerick, 5.3 and 13.6; and Waterford, 17.6 and 19.6.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.1 per 1,000. Among the 36 deaths for Cork were one from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years and one of the 2 deaths for Dundalk was from whooping-cough.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 230—113 boys and 117 girls, and the number of deaths 156—79 males and 77 females. Twenty-five of the births and 27 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 129 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 16.2 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 16.7, 16.9, and 14.3.

There were 10 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, two from diphtheria and two from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were one, one, and 0, from whooping-cough 4, 9, and 5, from diphtheria 3, 1, and 1, and from diarrhoea and enteritis under 2 years 2, 2, and 1.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 7 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (8 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 5 from tuberculous meningitis, as against 19, 19, and 12 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, and 13 by diseases of the heart.

Four accidental deaths were registered, including one from burns, one from drowning, and one due to a motor lorry. Two deaths from suicide were registered.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 3 were due to whooping-cough, one to convulsions, two to broncho-pneumonia, two to diarrhoea and enteritis, 6 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformations, and 2 to congenital debility.

Twenty-three of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 41 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 31 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 129 deaths recorded, 65 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 23rd April was equal to an average annual rate of 14.9 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 11.5

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11.9) the mortality among civilians was 12.2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

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AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	April 2	.	.	.	19	.	12	4	.	—	.	.	12	.	.	15	52	
	April 9	.	.	.	21	.	20	.	.	—	.	.	12	.	.	7	53	
	April 16	.	.	.	21	.	10	6	3	—	.	.	12	.	1a	20	63	
	April 23	1b	.	.	24	.	27	1	1	—	.	.	7	.	.	18	79	
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	April 2	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	April 9	.	.	—	1	—	1	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	4
	April 16	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	April 23	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	April 2	.	.	3	1	—	2	.	2	.	.	—	2	.	.	12	7	14
	April 9	.	.	.	3	—	5	.	2	.	.	—	1	.	.	4	19	
	April 16	.	.	1	—	—	3	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	3	8	
	April 23	.	.	4	1	—	3	1	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	4	14
Limerick C.B.	April 2	.	.	—	4	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	7	14
	April 9	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	6	6
	April 16	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	4	10
	April 23	.	.	—	1	—	7	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	2	12
Waterford C.B.	April 2	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	April 9	1	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	April 16	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	April 23	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2

(a) Encephalitis Lethargica

(b) Para Typhoid Fever

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	April 2	April 9	April 16	No. admitted	Dis-charged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	5	4	5	.	.	.	5
Typhus
Small-pox
Measles ...	6	5	5	6	2	.	9
Scarlet Fever ...	127	131	116	30	24	1	121*
Diphtheria ...	63	58	67	24	14	1	76
Pneumonia ...	25	23	19	5	3	1	20

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases†, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week were equal to an annual rate of 0.8 per 1,000. Among the 22 deaths for Cork was one from diphtheria, one of the 3 deaths for Kilkenny was also from this disease, and one of the 9 deaths for Dundalk was from whooping-cough.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 237—125 boys and 112 girls, and the number of deaths 167—90 males and 77 females. Twenty-two of the births and 18 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 149 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 18.7 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 16.9, 14.3, and 16.2.

There were 7 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 4 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and two from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under two years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 9, 5, and 5; from diphtheria one, one, and 2; and from diarrhoea and enteritis under 2 years 2, one, and 2.

There were 9 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 13 deaths.

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TABLE III.—Showing the number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended Saturday, 20th April, 1932, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrheal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	April 9	.	.	.	21	.	20	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	7	53
	April 16	.	.	.	21	.	10	6	.	.	.	.	10	.	.	—	20	63
	April 23	1b	.	.	24	.	27	1	1	.	.	.	7	.	1a	—	18	79
	April 30	.	.	.	26	3	11	2	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	23	68
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	April 9	.	.	—	1	—	1	2	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	4
	April 16	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	April 23	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	April 30	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	April 9	.	.	3	3	—	5	.	2	.	.	—	1	.	.	1	4	19
	April 16	.	.	1	1	—	3	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	3	3	8
	April 23	.	.	4	1	—	3	1	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	1	4	14
	April 30	.	.	2	1	—	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	3	10
Limerick C.B.	April 9	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	6
	April 16	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	4	10
	April 23	.	.	—	1	—	7	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	2	12
	April 30	.	.	—	3	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	2	9
Waterford C.B.	April 9	1	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	April 16	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	April 23	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	April 30	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1

(a) Encephalitis Lethargica

(b) Para Typhoid Fever

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 30th April, 1932, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 30th April, 1932.			
	April 9	April 16	April 23	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	4	5	5	.	.	.	5
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	5	5	9	.	.	.	9
Scarlet Fever ...	131	116	121	33	5	1	148*
Diphtheria ...	58	67	76	17	12	1	80
Pneumonia ...	23	19	20	4	6	1	17

* Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the Twelve Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 15.7 and 16.8; City of Dublin, 15.0 and 16.1; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 19.0 and 19.8; Cork, 15.3 and 18.6; Limerick, 18.5 and 14.6; and Waterford, 21.5 and 20.5.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.3 per 1,000. Among the 23 deaths for Cork were 2 from whooping-cough. One of the 7 deaths for Dundalk and one of the 13 deaths for Dun Laoghaire were also from this disease. Measles was the cause of death in the case of one of the 2 deaths for Kilkenny, and diphtheria caused one of the 14 deaths for Limerick.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 256—129 boys and 127 girls, and the number of deaths 138—66 males and 72 females. Twenty-six of the births and 18 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 120 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 15.0 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 14.3, 16.2, and 18.7.

There were 10 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from measles, one from scarlet fever, 5 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and two from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under two years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were 2, 0, and 0; from scarlet fever 0, one, and 0; from whooping-cough 5, 5, and 4; from diphtheria one, 2, and one; and from diarrhoea and enteritis under 2 years one, 2, and 2.

There were 7 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 12 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (10 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from tuberculous meningitis and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 12, 13, and 23 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

One accidental death was registered.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 2 were due to whooping-cough, one to tubercular meningitis, two to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, 1 to pneumonia, two to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Twenty-six of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 34 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 24 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 120 deaths recorded, 52 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 7th May was equal to an average annual rate of 13.4 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 19.6.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 12.1) the mortality among civilians was 11.7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13.7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13.8 and for Edinburgh 11.0.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTIMATED POPULATION OF MIDDLE OF 1932*	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		DEATHS FROM																								
			ALL CAUSES	PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES	AGES AT DEATH										Principal Epidemic Diseases										Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified		
					TOTAL DEATHS																								
					(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
				Under 1 year	1-2	2-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence	Other Causes				
CITY OF DUBLIN.			(1)																										
NORTH-CITY No. 1 EAST			35,600	17.6	3	3	2	1	2	1	2	3	4					2		1	1	1		4		4		6	
" No. 1 WEST			43,200	15.7	12	3						4												3		7		5	
" No. 2			26,800	17.5	9	2						3								1	1			4		3		2	
" No. 3			33,900	10.9	7	1						3								1	1			3		5		1	
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLEKNOCK, PART OF			1,900	22.7								1														2		1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF			9,200		4							5														5		1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF			200	12.8	2							1																1	
COOLIDGE AND DRUMCONDRA, PART OF			20,400	12.9	5	1						1																1	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF			12,100		1																							1	
SOUTH-CITY No. 1			86,800	7.1	5	1	1	1	1		2					1			1	1		1				3		3	
" No. 2			14,400	14.5	4		1	1	1	4	4	3				1				3		3				16		7	
" No. 3			13,700	12.8	11	1		1	1	2	6	10				1				2		1				7		1	
" No. 4			33,600	20.0	13	1						1				1				2		1				7		1	
CROMLIN, PART OF			6,100	8.5	6							1																1	
DONSYPARK Nos. 1 AND 2			35,000	8.9	1							1								1						1		5	
NEW KILMATHAM			16,900	33.9	11	1	1	1	2	2	4	2		1	1					2		1				3	1	1	
RATHBARNHAM, PART OF			1,900																									1	
RATHBARNHAM Nos. 1 AND 2			41,500	20.1	16	5		1	1	1	3	5				1	1			1		1		1		10		9	
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN			415,900	15.0	120	18	3	5	4	11	14	31	34		1	1	5	1	2	10	6	11	7	12	1	63	2	52	
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)					18	2	1			4	6	5				1						4		1		12	1	18	
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																													
CORK URBAN, No. 1			12,887	8.1	2					1	1		1							1						1		1	
" No. 2			11,208	9.3	2					1	1		1													1		1	
" No. 3			10,971	14.3	3					1	1		1							1						1		1	
" No. 4			8,642	24.1	4	1						1				1				1						1		1	
" No. 5			5,613	18.6	2							1														1		1	
" No. 6			12,005	17.4	2	1	1	1	1			3				1				1						1		1	
" No. 7			17,214	18.2	6	1														1						2		2	
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK			78,400	15.3	23	3	1	3	1	2	3	4	6				2			4			4	1	1	11	1	7	

*See note at foot of fourth page. (The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

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AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	April 16	1b	.	.	21	.	10	6	3	—	.	.	2	.	1a	20	63	
	April 23	.	.	.	24	.	27	1	1	—	.	.	7	.	.	18	79	
	April 30	.	.	.	26	3	11	2	.	—	.	.	3	.	.	23	68	
	May 7	.	.	.	23	1	21	1	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	13	64	
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	April 16	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	April 23	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	April 30	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 7	.	.	—	.	—	.	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
Cork C.B.	April 16	.	.	1	1	—	3	1	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	3	8	
	April 23	.	.	4	1	—	3	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	4	14
	April 30	.	.	2	1	—	2	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	3	10
	May 7	.	.	3	1	—	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	5	9
Limerick C.B.	April 16	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	4	10	
	April 23	.	.	—	1	—	7	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	12	
	April 30	.	.	—	3	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	9	
	May 7	.	.	—	10	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	15	
Waterford C.B.	April 16	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	April 23	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	April 30	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	May 7	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2

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	April 16	April 23	April 30	No. admitted	Dis-charged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	5	5	5	.	.	.	5
Typhus
Small-pox
Measles ...	5	9	9	1	4	.	6
Scarlet Fever ...	116	121	148	25	24	1	148*
Diphtheria ...	67	76	80	14	7	1	86
Pneumonia ...	19	20	17	3	3	.	17

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.8 per 1,000. Among the 3 deaths from all causes for Dundalk was one from whooping-cough.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 255—131 boys and 124 girls, and the number of deaths 136—66 males and 70 females. Twenty-six of the births and 9 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 127 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 15.9 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 16.2, 18.7, and 15.0.

There were 7 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 6 from whooping-cough, and one from diphtheria. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 5, 4, and 5, and deaths from diphtheria were 2, one, and one.

There were 9 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia and 4 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 10 deaths.

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Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, and 20 by diseases of the heart.

Six accidental deaths were registered, 2 of which were due to burns, and 2 to injuries caused by motor-vehicles. There was also one death by suicide.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 3 were due to whooping-cough, one to tuberculous meningitis, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, one to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation, and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty-two of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 38 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 26 were aged 70 years or over.

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TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 14th May, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Saorstat Éireann** and to **Belfast and Londonderry County Boroughs**, with the **METEOROLOGY** for the week: also similar particulars for **LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW**.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	BIRTHS										DEATHS										METEOROLOGY												
	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons re- presented by		BIRTHS		CAUSED BY										Air Temperature										Hours of Bright Sunshine								
			Total Number	Deaths	Principal Epidemic Diseases										Violence	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Unidentified	Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest	Mean Maximum (A)	Mean Minimum (B)	Mean of (A) and (B)	Rainfall in Inches									
					From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases	Enteric Fever, Typhus Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 15 years of age	Influenza	Pulmonary													Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Diseases Respiratory System		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)		
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	27.3	15.6	0.8	357	204	29	60	.	.	.	7	1	2	.	15	9	22	12	15	11	9	92	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	28.7	15.9	0.9	229	127	18	38	.	.	.	6	1	.	.	9	7	12	9	13	7	6	63	.	{	56.9	40.3	48.6	1.22	35.0	.		
BORO' DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,600	20.5	8.8	.	14	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	{	56.0	31.0	58.2	41.2	49.7	1.24	.
CORK CO. BOROUGH	78,490	9.3	19.3	0.7	14	29	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK "	39,448	31.7	14.5	.	24	11	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	60	36	56.0	43.0	49.5	1.06	.
WATERFORD "	26,647	47.0	13.7	.	24	7	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	14,227	13.9	27	.	9	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK "	13,996	12.7	16	.	12	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA "	12,716	11.8	7	.	7	3	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD "	11,879	11.4	3	.	7	6	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO "	11,437	10.5	3	.	10	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE "	10,583	10.5	3	.	4	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KILKENNY "	10,046	10.4	3	.	3	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	64	58.6	42.5	50.5	1.21	.	.
BELFAST CO BORO' ..	415,151	25.7	13.9	0.5	205	111	19	36	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	9	3	11	9	7	3	3	42	2	63.0	30.0	57.2	41.0	49.1	1.36	.	.	
LONDONDERRY "	45,159	28.9	11.5	1.2	25	10	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	1
LONDON ..	4,277,000	16.6	11.7	—	1,394	982	92	445	.	33	.	13	4	14	5	55	7	146	53	47	36	48	—	—	68.0	35.0	61.0	42.7	51.9	1.25	23.0	.	
EDINBURGH ..	445,300	—	12.7	0.6	130	108	7	44	.	1	3	3	.	5	1	—	—	—	—	10	7	—	—	—	61.0	35.0	54.3	40.7	47.5	0.80	39.7	.	
GLASGOW ..	1,106,500	—	13.6	0.8	454	287	43	94	.	1	3	3	.	4	1	—	—	—	—	40	15	—	—	—	62.5	33.4	55.0	40.3	47.7	1.27	34.3	.	

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AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrheal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	April 23	1a	.	.	24	3.	27	1	1	—	.	.	7	.	.	—	18	79
	April 30	.	.	.	26	3.	11	2	.	—	.	.	3	.	.	—	23	68
	May 7	.	.	.	23	1	21	1	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	13	64
	May 14	.	.	.	30	.	11	1	.	—	.	.	10	.	.	—	12	64
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	April 23	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	April 30	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 7	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 14	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
Cork C.B.	April 23	.	.	4	1	—	3	1	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	1	4	14
	April 30	.	.	3	1	—	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	3	10
	May 7	.	.	3	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	5	9
	May 14	.	.	6	4	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	3	14
Limerick C.B.	April 23	.	.	—	1	—	7	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	2	12
	April 30	.	.	—	3	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	2	9
	May 7	.	.	—	10	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	15
	May 14	.	.	—	9	—	4	1	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	1	17
Waterford C.B.	April 23	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	April 30	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 7	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	May 14	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1

(a) Para Typhoid Fever

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 14th May, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 14th May, 1932.			
	April 23.	April 30	May 7	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	5	5	5	.	.	.	5
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	9	9	6	1	.	.	7
Scarlet Fever ...	121	148	148	24	23	.	149*
Diphtheria ...	76	80	86	9	18	2	75
Pneumonia ...	20	17	17	10	10	2	15

* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the Twelve Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 16.7 and 16.7; City of Dublin, 16.7 and 16.6; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 17.6 and 15.4; Cork, 14.6 and 16.0; Limerick, 10.6 and 16.5; and Waterford, 15.7 and 19.1.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.5 per 1,000. Among the 12 deaths from all causes for Dun Laoghaire was one from whooping-cough; the 22 deaths for Cork included one from whooping-cough and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years; one of the 8 deaths for Limerick was from scarlet fever, and one of the 9 for Wexford was from measles.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 225—108 boys and 117 girls, and the number of deaths 157—66 males and 91 females. Twenty-six of the births and 24 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 133 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 16.7 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 18.7, 15.0 and 15.9.

There were 9 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were 0, one, and 0; from whooping-cough 4, 5, and 6; from diphtheria one, one, and one; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, 2 and 0.

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (9 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis and 4 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 23, 16 and 16 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, and 25 by diseases of the heart.

There were 10 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 7 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one of which (that of a child aged 3 years) was caused by burns.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to whooping-cough, 3 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-four of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 20 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 36 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 25 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 133 deaths recorded, 63 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 21st May was equal to an average annual rate of 14.1 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 12.7.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11.3) the mortality among civilians was 11.1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14.3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14.3 and for Edinburgh 17.4.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 21st May, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Belfast, Eireland** and to **BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs**, with the **METEOROLOGY** for the week: also similar particulars for **LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW**.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by		BIRTHS		DEATHS															METEOROLOGY																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																						
		Deaths		TOTAL NUMBER		Total Deaths		Under 1 year of Age		65 years and upwards		Enteric fever, Typhoid, Small-pox, Typhus		Measles		Scarlet Fever		Whooping-cough		Diphtheria		Diarrhea and Enteritis under 2 years of age		Influenza		Tuber- culosis		Cancer		Pneumonia		Other		Violence		Inquest Cases		In Public Institutions		Number Uncertified		Air Temperature					Rainfall in Inches					Hours of Bright Sunshine																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
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AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Prexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	April 30	.	.	.	26	3	11	2	.	—	.	.	3	.	.	—	23	68
	May 7	.	.	.	23	1	21	1	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	13	64
	May 14	.	.	.	30	.	11	1	.	—	.	.	10	.	.	—	12	64
	May 21	.	.	.	25	.	8	4	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	7	49
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	April 30	.	.	—	.	—	.	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	12
	May 7	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	12
	May 14	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	12
	May 21	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	12
Cork C.B.	April 30	.	.	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	.	3	10
	May 7	.	.	3	—	—	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	5	9
	May 14	.	.	6	4	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	3	14
	May 21	.	.	1	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	3	7
Limerick C.B.	April 30	.	.	—	3	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	2	9
	May 7	.	.	—	10	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	15
	May 14	.	.	—	9	—	4	1	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	1	17
	May 21	.	.	—	13	—	2	1	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	18
Waterford C.B.	April 30	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 7	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	May 14	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 21	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 21st May, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 21st May, 1932.			
	April 30	May 7	May 14	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	5	5	5	.	2	.	3
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	9	6	7	2	2	.	7
Scarlet Fever ...	148	148	149	24	31	1	141*
Diphtheria ...	80	86	75	11	12	1	73
Pneumonia ...	17	17	15	7	.	.	22

* Exclusive of 23 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Principal Towns, 13.2 and 15.3; City of Dublin, 13.0 and 15.2; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 14.6 and 15.0; Cork, 11.3 and 15.1; Limerick, 9.3 and 13.2; and Waterford, 15.7 and 16.7.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.1 per 1,000. Among the 17 deaths from all causes for Cork was one from whooping-cough. One of the 6 deaths for Wexford and 2 of the 4 deaths for Sligo were from measles.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 249—120 boys and 129 girls, and the number of deaths 125—67 males and 58 females. Thirty of the births and 21 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 104 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 13.0 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 15.0, 15.9 and 16.7.

There were 9 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from measles, 4 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were one, 0 and 0; from whooping-cough 5, 6, and 4; from diphtheria one, one, and 2; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, 0 and 2.

Tuberculous disease caused 6 deaths (3 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 3 from tuberculous meningitis), as against 16, 16 and 14 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

There were 5 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia and 1 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 5 deaths.

Seven accidental deaths were registered, one of which was caused by drowning, and one by being knocked down by a motor car.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 4 were due to whooping-cough, one to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Twenty-five of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 22 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 35 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 28 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 104 deaths recorded, 51 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 28th May was equal to an average annual rate of 11.8 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 19.6.

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Dublin City	May 7	7	.	.	23	1	21	1	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	13	64
	May 14	14	.	.	30	11	11	1	.	—	.	.	10	.	.	—	12	64
	May 21	21	.	.	25	8	8	4	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	7	49
	May 28	28	.	.	18	1	12	3	1	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	5	44
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	May 7	7	.	.	—	—	.	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	May 14	14	.	.	—	2	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	May 21	21	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 28	28	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	May 7	7	.	.	3	4	1	—	1	.	.	.	5	9
	May 14	14	.	.	6	1	—	3	14
	May 21	21	.	.	1	1	—	.	.	.	12	3	7
	May 28	28	.	.	8	1	—	—	5	14
Limerick C.B.	May 7	7	.	.	10	—	4	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	15
	May 14	14	.	.	9	—	2	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	17
	May 21	21	.	.	13	—	4	1	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	3	18
	May 28	28	.	.	9	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	12
Waterford C.B.	May 7	7	.	.	—	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	May 14	14	.	.	—	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 21	21	.	.	—	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 28	28	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.

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Typhus
Small-pox
Measles ...	6	7	7	.	1	.	6
Scarlet Fever ...	148	149	141	17	29	1	128*
Diphtheria ...	86	75	73	19	26	1	65
Pneumonia ...	17	15	22	7	4	1	24

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Twelve Principal Towns, 13.9 and 14.9; City of Dublin, 12.3 and 14.5; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 16.1 and 14.3; Cork, 14.0 and 14.8; Limerick, 21.1 and 13.9; and Waterford, 7.8 and 13.2.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.7 per 1,000. One of the 5 deaths from all causes for Galway and 3 of the 8 deaths for Sligo were from measles.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 251—144 boys and 107 girls, and the number of deaths 112—60 males and 52 females. Twenty-nine of the births and 14 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 98 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 12.3 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 15.9, 16.7 and 13.0.

There were 4 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 2 from whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 6, 4 and 4; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 0, 2 and 3.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (9 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and one from tuberculous peritonitis), as against 16, 14 and 6 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, and 23 by diseases of the heart.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia and 2 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 6 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one of which was caused by drowning. There was also one death by suicide.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to convulsions, one to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation and one to congenital debility.

Eighteen of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 10 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 22 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 13 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 98 deaths recorded, 48 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12.1 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12.8 and for Edinburgh 9.7.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

(a) See note at foot of fourth page. (b) According to the Census of 1926, but in the cases of the City of Dublin, the Borough of Dun Laoghaire, Edinburgh and Glasgow, the populations given are those estimated to the middle of 1932, while the estimates shown for London relates to the civil population in 1931. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (Sunshine returned by Trinity College). (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Marktree.

TABLE 11.—Showing for the week ended Saturday, 4th June, 1934, in relation to the City of Dublin and its County Borough of Cork, the principal epidemic diseases, and from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the principal epidemic diseases.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTI- MATED POPULA- TION MIDDLE OF 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION		AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM										In Public Institutions								
		ALL CAUSES	PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC Dis- EASES	Under 1 year										Principal Epidemic Diseases										Inquest Cases	(28)							
				1	2	3	4-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Enteric fever, Typhus, Small pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Tuber- culosis		Cancer	Diseases Res- piratory System			Violence	Other Causes					
																				Pulmonary	Other Forms		Pneumonia	Other								
CITY OF DUBLIN.				(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
North City No. 1 East	35,600	11.7	1.2	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	
" " No. 1 West	43,200	10.9	1.2	9	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	
" " No. 2	20,800	15.6	3.9	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	
" " No. 3	33,500	9.3	1.9	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF	1,900	17.0	1.9	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF	9,200	17.0	1.9	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF	200	17.9	1.9	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
COOLICK AND DRUMCONDRA, PART OF	20,400	21.5	1.5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF	12,100	15.5	1.5	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
South City No. 1	38,900	15.5	1.5	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 2	14,400	7.2	1.4	14	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 3	45,700	10.0	1.4	14	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 4	33,900	13.8	1.9	14	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONDALKIN, PART OF	600	17.1	1.7	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CRUMLIN, PART OF	6,100	17.1	1.7	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
DONNYBROOK Nos. 1 AND 2	35,000	4.5	1.3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
NEW KILMAINHAM	16,900	15.4	1.5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF	1,900	7.5	1.3	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
RATHFARNHAM Nos. 1 AND 2	41,500	7.5	1.3	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN	415,900	12.3	0.5	98	10	4	4	2	9	15	32	22	1	1	2	1	2	1	9	3	8	6	9	3	55	5	48	1	1	1	1	
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)				14	1	1	1	1	2	2	4	3										2	1	2		8		14				
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																
CORK URBAN, No. 1	12,837	16.2	4.7	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4												4		1					
" " No. 2	11,208	4.7	1.4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 3	10,971	10.0	4.7	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 4	8,642	30.2	8.6	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 5	5,613	13.0	5.6	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 6	12,005	13.0	5.6	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 7	17,214	12.1	4.7	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK	78,490	14.0	4.7	21	1	1	1	1	2	5	3	8													1		1					

*See note at foot of fourth page.

†The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday 4th June, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended		Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Polymyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	May 14	14	.	.	.	30	.	11	1	.	.	.	.	10	.	.	.	12	64
	May 21	21	.	.	.	25	.	8	4	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	5	49
	May 28	28	.	.	.	18	1	12	3	1	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	5	44
	June 4	4	.	.	.	18	.	17	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	11	49
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	May 14	14	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	May 21	21	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 28	28	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 4	4	.	.	—	5	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
Cork C.B.	May 14	14	.	.	6	4	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	3	14
	May 21	21	.	.	1	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	3	7
	May 28	28	.	.	1	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	3	14
	June 4	4	.	.	8	2	—	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	3	15
Limerick C.B.	May 14	14	.	.	—	9	—	4	1	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	1	17
	May 21	21	.	.	—	13	—	2	1	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	1	18
	May 28	28	.	.	—	9	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	12
	June 4	4	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
Waterford C.B.	May 14	14	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 21	21	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 28	28	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 4	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 4th June, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 4th June, 1932.			
	May 14	May 21	May 28	No. admitted	Dis-charged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	5	3	3	.	1	.	2
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	7	7	6	7	1	.	12
Scarlet Fever ...	149	141	128	17	17	.	128*
Diphtheria ...	75	73	65	16	16	.	65
Pneumonia ...	22	22	24	5	5	1	23

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.8 per 1,000. Among the 20 deaths from all causes for Cork was one from whooping-cough. One of the 6 deaths for Limerick was from scarlet fever; of the 9 deaths for Waterford and the 8 deaths for Dundalk was one each of whooping-cough and diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years and the 2 deaths for Wexford were both from measles.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 228—106 boys and 122 girls, and the number of deaths 130—71 males and 59 females. Twenty-four of the births and 21 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 109 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 13.7 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 16.7, 13.0 and 12.3.

There were 15 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were one, 0, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough were 4, 4, and 2; from diphtheria 2, 1, and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, 3, and 2.

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (9 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 14, 6, and 12 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 16 by diseases of the heart.

There were 11 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 8 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 2 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 5 deaths.

No accidental deaths were registered.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 5 were due to whooping-cough, one to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, one to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, 3 to congenital malformation and one to congenital debility.

Thirty-three of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 19 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 29 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 23 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 109 deaths recorded, 59 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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Dublin City	May 21	.	.	.	25	.	8	4	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	7	49
	May 28	.	.	.	18	1	13	3	1	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	5	44
	June 4	.	.	.	13	.	17	.	.	—	.	.	3	.	.	—	11	40
	June 11	.	.	.	20	.	19	.	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	12	56
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	May 21	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 28	.	.	—	5	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
	June 4	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	June 11	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	May 21	.	.	1	1	—	—	.	.	.	2	3	7
	May 28	.	.	8	2	—	1	—	.	.	.	1	5	14
	June 4	.	.	8	.	—	3	1	.	.	.	—	3	15
	June 11	.	.	10	.	—	3	—	2	16
Limerick C.B.	May 21	.	.	—	13	—	2	1	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	1	18
	May 28	.	.	—	9	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	12
	June 4	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	9
	June 11	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	4	20
Waterford C.B.	May 21	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 28	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 11	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.

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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 11th June, 1932.			
	May 21	May 28	June 4	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	3	3	2	.	.	.	2
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Small-pox
Measles	7	6	12	3	2	.	13
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Twelve Principal Towns, 12.3 and 13.1; City of Dublin, 11.5 and 12.6; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 13.2 and 12.8; Cork, 19.9 and 14.6; Limerick, 6.6 and 11.2; and Waterford, 11.7 and 13.2.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.7 per 1,000. Among the 30 deaths from all causes for Cork was one from measles and one from diarrhoea and enteritis, and one of the 9 deaths from Dun Laoghaire was from whooping-cough.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 246—126 boys and 120 girls, and the number of deaths 106—53 males and 53 females. Forty-seven of the births and 14 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 92 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 11.5 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 13.0, 12.3 and 13.7.

There were 5 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from Typhoid fever, one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were 0, 0, and one; deaths from diphtheria were 1, 0, and 5, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 3, 2 and 2. There were no deaths from Typhoid fever during the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (11 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from tubercular peritonitis) as against 6, 12, and 13 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 12 by diseases of the heart.

There were 10 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 14 deaths.

Four accidental deaths were registered.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age 2 were due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, and one to congenital malformation.

Eighteen of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 11 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 30 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 19 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 92 deaths recorded, 46 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 18th June was equal to an average annual rate of 12.2 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 8.1

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 10.4) the mortality among civilians was 10.3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12.3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11.9 and for Edinburgh 11.0.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 18th June, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Saorstát Éireann** and to **Belfast and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs**, with the **METEOROLOGY** for the week: also similar particulars for **LONDON**, **EDINBURGH**, and **GLASGOW**.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	COLS.	POPULATION (b)	BIRTHS		DEATHS		CAUSED BY														METEOROLOGY										
			Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons re- presented by	TOTAL NUMBER	From all Causes	From Principal Causes	Under 1 year of Age	65 years and upwards	Principal Epidemic Diseases								In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Air Temperature					Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine						
									Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Influenza	Pulmonary				Cancer	Diseases Respiratory System		Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest			Mean Maximum (A)	Mean Minimum (B)	Mean of (A) and (B)			
															Other Forms	Tuber- culosis				Pneumonia	Other								Violence		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	24.8	12.3	0.7	324	160	24	49	1 (g)	1	1	1	4	14	5	16	11	20	6	7	70	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	24.9	11.5	0.6	199	92	11	30	1 (g)	1	1	1	2	11	1	7	10	14	4	4	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
BORO' DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,600	20.5	13.2	1.5	14	9	5	5	1 (g)	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CORK CO. BOROUGH	78,490	15.3	19.9	0.7	23	30	9	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	4	1	1	15	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
LIMERICK ..	39,448	51.6	6.6	1.3	39	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
WATERFORD, ..	26,647	15.7	11.7	0.7	8	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	14,227	12.3	11.7	0.7	12	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
DUNDALK ..	13,996	The annual rates for these	2	5	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
DROGHEDA ..	12,716	urban dis-	5	4	5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
WEXFORD ..	11,879	tricts will be	6	6	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
SLIGO ..	11,437	shown in the	3	3	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
TRALEE ..	10,533	Quarterly	7	7	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
KILKENNY ..	10,046	Return	6	6	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
BELFAST CO. BORO' ..	415,151	19.3	12.2	1.0	158	97	21	34	1	1	6	1	8	8	2	6	10	5	1	1	36	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
LONDONDERRY ..	45,159	24.2	8.1	0.1	21	7	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
LONDON ..	4,377,000	16.5	10.4	—	1,385	869	67	380	1	14	3	12	6	15	5	48	11	106	33	28	45	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
EDINBURGH ..	445,300	11.0	0.5	0.5	126	94	7	48	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
GLASGOW ..	1,106,500	11.9	0.6	0.6	484	251	29	88	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

(a) See note at foot of fourth page. (b) According to the Census of 1926, but in the cases of the City of Dublin, the Borough of Dun Laoghaire, Edinburgh and Glasgow, the populations given are those estimated to the middle of 1932, while the estimates shown for London relates to the civil population in 1931. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (Shine returned by Trinity College). (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Typhoid Fever.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday 18th June, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	May 28	.	.	.	18	1	12	3	1	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	5	44
	June 4	.	.	.	18	.	17	.	.	—	.	.	3	.	.	—	11	40
	June 11	.	.	.	20	.	19	.	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	12	56
	June 18	2	1 (a)	.	18	.	15	.	2	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	6	51
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	May 28	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
	June 4	.	.	—	5	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	June 11	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	June 18	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
Cork C.B.	May 28	.	.	8	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	5	14
	June 4	.	.	8	2	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	13	15
	June 11	.	.	10	.	1	3	1	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	2	16
	June 18	.	.	12	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	1	18
Limerick C.B.	May 28	.	.	—	9	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	12
	June 4	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
	June 11	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	4	20
	June 18	.	.	—	3	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	2	11
Waterford C.B.	May 28	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 11	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 18	.	.	—	.	—	1	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2

(a) Pyrexia;

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 18th June, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 18th June, 1932.			
	May 28	June 4	June 11	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	3	2	2	.	.	.	2
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	6	12	13	1	5	.	9
Scarlet Fever ...	123	128	125	26	27	1	123*
Diphtheria ...	65	65	67	20	15	1	71
Pneumonia ...	24	23	20	11	3	1	27

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the **Twelve Principal Towns** are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas, for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 12.9 and 13.0; City of Dublin, 12.4 and 12.5; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 10.3 and 11.7; Cork, 12.0 and 14.8; Limerick, 15.9 and 12.9; and Waterford, 11.7 and 12.2.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.8 per 1,000. Among the 18 deaths from all causes for Cork was one from diphtheria; and of the 12 deaths for Limerick one was from scarlet fever and one from diphtheria.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 188—100 boys and 88 girls, and the number of deaths 122—63 males and 59 females. Twenty-seven of the births and 23 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 99 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 12.4 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 12.3, 13.7 and 11.5.

There were 6 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 4 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, and 1 from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 2, 7, and 0; deaths from diphtheria were 0, 5, and one, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, 2, and 2.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (10 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tubercular meningitis), and one from other forms of tuberculous disease, as against 12, 13, and 12 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 7 deaths.

Five accidental deaths were registered.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age 2 were due to whooping-cough, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation, and one to congenital debility.

Seventeen of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 11 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 31 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 23 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 99 deaths recorded, 52 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 25th June was equal to an average annual rate of 12.4 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 15.0.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9.8) the mortality among civilians was 9.8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11.8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12.5 and for Edinburgh 11.4.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended Saturday, 25th June, 1932, in relation to the City of Dublin and the County Borough of Cork* by Registrars' Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		DEATHS FROM										Inquest Cases		Number Uncertified					
ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1932†	ALL CAUSES	Prin- cipal Epi- demic Dis- eases	TOTAL DEATHS	AGES AT DEATH										Other Causes	In Public Institutions						
				Under 1 year	1-2	2-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Principal Epidemic Diseases									
														Diseases Respiratory System		Violence					
														Tuber- culosis		Cancer					
														Pulmonary		Other Forms		Pneumonia		Other	
														Influenza							
														Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years							
														Diphtheria							
														Whooping-cough							
														Scarlet Fever							
														Measles							
														Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery							
														(13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) (19) (20) (21) (22) (23) (24) (25) (26) (27) (28) (29)							

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday 25th June, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended		Enteric Fever		Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox		Measles		Scarlet Fever		Whooping-cough		Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)		Erysipelas		Puerperal Fever,		Diarrheal Diseases		Dysentery & Malaria		Ophthalmia Neonatorum		Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia		Cerebro-spinal Fever		Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica		Varicella		Tuberculosis		Total	
Dublin City	June	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	.	.	.	.	17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	11	49	
	June	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	20	.	.	.	.	19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	12	56		
	June	18	1	(a)	.	.	.	.	18	.	.	.	.	15	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	12	51			
	June	25	2	.	.	.	.	2	23	.	.	.	.	10	3	1	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	12	61			
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	June	4	.	.	.	.	—	—	5	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
	June	11	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	June	18	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	June	25	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cork C.B.	June	4	.	.	.	.	8	2	2	.	—	—	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	15	
	June	11	.	.	.	.	10	.	12	.	—	—	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	16	
	June	18	.	.	.	.	12	.	1	.	1	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	18	
	June	25	.	.	.	.	15	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	6	27	
Limerick C.B.	June	4	.	.	.	.	—	—	6	.	—	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	9
	June	11	—	—	6	.	—	—	3	—	.	.	—	—	1	20		
	June	18	—	—	3	.	—	—	5	—	.	.	—	—	11		
	June	25	—	—	9	.	—	—	5	—	.	.	—	—	14		
Waterford C.B.	June	4	—	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.		
	June	11	—	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	—	—		
	June	18	—	—	.	.	—	—	1	.	1	—	.	.	—	—		
	June	25	1	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	—	1	.	1	—	.	.	—	—		

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	June 4	June 11	June 18	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	2	2	2	1	1	..	2
Typhus
Small-pox
Measles ...	12	13	9	2	3	..	8
Scarlet Fever ...	128	125	123	19	22	1	119*
Diphtheria ...	65	67	71	12	16	1	66
Pneumonia ...	23	20	27	9	3	1	32

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.2 per 1,000. Among the 9 deaths from all causes for Limerick was one from diphtheria; and of the 4 deaths for Sligo one was from measles.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 261—118 boys and 143 girls, and the number of deaths 131—59 males and 72 females. Thirty-six of the births and 17 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 114 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 14.3 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 13.7, 11.5 and 12.4.

There were 12 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 4 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 5 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 7, 0, and 4; deaths from diphtheria were 5, one, and one, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, 2, and one.

One death from cerebro-spinal fever was registered.

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (10 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis and 3 from tuberculous peritonitis), as against 13, 12, and 12 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, and 22 by diseases of the heart.

There were 11 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 3 deaths. One accidental death, due to drowning, was registered.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 3 were due to whooping-cough, 2 to meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

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		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by		Principal Epidemic Diseases														Inquest Cases							Air Temperature							
		Presented by		Under 1 year of Age														Violence							Number Uncertified							
		POPULATION (b)	DEATHS	From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Influenza	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	In Public Institutions	Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest	Mean Maximum (a)	Mean Minimum (b)	Mean of (a) and (b)	Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine								
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)		
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	26.7	14.7	1.2	349	192	29	49	.	1	.	4	4	7	2	16	8	19	16	9	3	4	87	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	28.2	14.3	1.5	225	114	19	31	.	.	.	4	3	5	1	10	6	8	11	4	1	1	58	1	{ (c) 74.2 (d) 73.0 (e) 75.0 70	48.0	68.1	56.2	62.2	0.54	27.6	
BORO'DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,600	27.8	22.0	.	19	15	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	2	2	2	1	1	5	1	54	64.5	57.2	60.8	0.99	39.5	
CORK CO. BOROUGH	78,490	24.6	14.0	.	37	21	2	8	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	2	69	61.0	53.0	58.5	1.83	.	.	.
LIMERICK "	39,448	13.2	11.9	1.3	10	9	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	42	61.0	51.0	57.5	2.45	15.6	
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	26,647	23.5	7.8	.	12	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	78	69.4	54.4	61.9	2.39	.	.
DUNDALK "	14,227	13.996	.	.	5	4	2	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	78	69.4	54.4	61.9	2.39	.	.
DROGHEDA "	12,716	12.716	.	.	4	2	1	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	78	69.4	54.4	61.9	2.39	.	.
WEXFORD "	11,879	11.879	.	.	13	6	2	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	78	69.4	54.4	61.9	2.39	.	.
SLIGO "	11,487	11.487	.	.	7	4	1	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	78	69.4	54.4	61.9	2.39	.	.
TRALEE "	10,533	10.533	.	.	6	9	1	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	78	69.4	54.4	61.9	2.39	.	.
KILKENNY "	10,046	10.046	.	.	2	3	1	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	78	69.4	54.4	61.9	2.39	.	.
BELFAST CO. BORO' ..	415,151	21.2	12.9	1.3	169	103	16	29	.	.	.	6	.	2	2	9	1	6	2	8	2	3	31	4	73.0	49.0	68.7	53.6	61.2	1.10	.	.
LONDONDERRY "	45,159	20.8	8.1	.	18	7	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	19	4	68	8	123	34	22	38	55	—	—	85	50	77.0	55.7	66.4	0.47	48.6
LONDON ..	4,377,000	15.1	10.1	—	1,270	846	71	375	1 (g)	8	2	8	6	19	4	68	8	123	34	22	38	55	—	—	85	50	77.0	55.7	66.4	0.47	48.6	
EDINBURGH ..	445,300	—	10.1	0.2	129	86	5	38	.	.	.	1	1	6	.	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	71.0	47.0	65.3	52.7	59.0	1.02	32.4	
GLASGOW "	1,106,500	—	12.4	0.2	467	262	35	87	.	.	.	1	1	6	.	—	—	—	—	—	14	—	—	—	72.8	48.2	65.5	53.8	59.7	0.98	21.2	

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REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTIMATED POPULATION OF 1932*	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		DEATHS FROM													In Public Institutions		Number Uncertified												
			ALL CAUSES	PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES	AGES AT DEATH										Principal Epidemic Diseases						Other Causes											
					Under 1 year	1-2	2-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria					Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence			
																														DEATHS FROM		
				(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	
CITY OF DUBLIN.		COLS.																														
NORTH CITY		No. 1 EAST	35,600	11.7	4.4	8	3	1																								
" "		No. 2 WEST	43,200	20.5	2.4	17	1	4																								
" "		No. 3	26,800	27.2	3.9	14	3	1																								
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF			33,500	9.3		6	2																									
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF			1,900																													
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF			9,200	5.7		1																										
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, PART OF			200																													
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF			20,400	28.1	5.1	11	4																									
			12,100	21.5	4.3	5																										
SOUTH CITY		No. 1	36,900	5.7	1.4	2	1																									
" "		No. 2	14,400	7.2	3.6	4	1																									
" "		No. 3	45,700	10.3		9	2																									
" "		No. 4	33,900	10.8		7																										
CLONDALKIN, PART OF			600																													
CRUMLIN, PART OF			6,100																													
DONSYPBROOK Nos. 1 AND 2			35,000	8.9		6																										
NEW KILMAINHAM			16,900	24.7		8	1																									
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF			1,900																													
RATHMINES Nos. 1 AND 2			41,500	20.1		16	1																									
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN			415,900	14.3	1.5	114	19	5	3	11	9	8	28	31				4	3	5	1	10	6	8	11	4	1	61	1	58	1	
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)						17	1			3	4	8	1						1			1	2	2	1			10		17		
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																
CORK URBAN, No. 1			12,837	4.1		1																										
" "		No. 2	11,208	14.0		3																										
" "		No. 3	10,971	23.8		5	1																									
" "		No. 4	8,642	9.3																												
" "		No. 5	5,613			1																										
" "		No. 6	12,005	26.1		6																										
" "		No. 7	17,214	15.1		5	1																									
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK			78,490	14.0		21	2			3	6	2	8									4		2	1		1		13		8	2

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday 2nd July, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	June 11	12	1 (a)	20	19	10	1	2	1	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	12	56
	June 18	12	1	18	15	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	1	1	1	6	51
	June 25	12	1	23	15	10	1	3	1	1	1	1	8	1	1	1	12	61
	July 2	12	1	10	13	10	1	2	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	13	42
Dun Laoghaire Boro.	June 11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	June 18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	June 25	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	July 2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cork C.B.	June 11	10	1	12	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	16
	June 18	12	1	12	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	18
	June 25	15	1	15	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	4	27
	July 2	20	1	20	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	2	32
Limerick C.B.	June 11	6	1	6	1	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	4	20
	June 18	6	1	6	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	11
	June 25	9	1	9	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	14
	July 2	2	1	2	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9
Waterford C.B.	June 11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
	June 18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
	June 25	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
	July 2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

(a) Pyrexia.

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 2nd July, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 2nd July, 1932.			
	June 11	June 18	June 25	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	2	2	2	1	1	1	3
Typhus ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Small-pox ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Measles ...	13	9	8	3	4	1	7
Scarlet Fever ...	125	123	119	18	20	1	117*
Diphtheria ...	67	71	66	14	15	3	62
Pneumonia ...	20	27	32	4	4	3	29

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the Twelve Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 13.8 and 13.4; City of Dublin, 14.3 and 13.1; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 11.7 and 14.3; Cork, 14.6 and 15.1; Limerick, 9.3 and 10.9; and Waterford, 13.7 and 11.2.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.0 per 1,000. Among the 8 deaths from all causes for Dun Laoghaire was one from whooping-cough; one of the 4 deaths for Wexford was from measles, and the 5 for Kilkenny included one from diphtheria.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 284—136 boys and 148 girls, and the number of deaths 128—63 males and 65 females. Twenty-eight of the births and 14 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 114 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 14.3 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 11.5, 12.4 and 14.3.

There were 8 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 4 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 0, 4, and 4; deaths from diphtheria were one, one, and 3, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, one, and 5.

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (5 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous peritonitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 12, 12, and 16 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Thirteen deaths were caused by cancer, and 21 by diseases of the heart.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Pronclitis caused 11 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered. There was also one death by suicide.

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AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	June 18	2	1 (a)	2	23	15	10	3	2	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	6	51
	June 25	2	—	—	18	10	10	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	12	61
	July 2	—	—	—	10	13	13	2	1	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	13	42
	July 9	—	—	—	19	14	14	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	9	47
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	June 18	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	June 25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	July 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	July 9	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Cork C.B.	June 18	—	—	12	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	18
	June 25	—	—	15	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	6	27
	July 2	—	—	20	1	—	2	1	—	1	—	—	3	—	—	2	2	32
	July 9	—	—	18	2	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	3	4	30
Limerick C.B.	June 18	—	—	—	3	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	11
	June 25	—	—	—	9	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14
	July 2	—	—	—	2	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	9
	July 9	—	—	—	5	—	6	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	3	16
Waterford C.B.	June 18	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
	June 25	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
	July 2	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	July 9	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1

(a) Pyrexia.

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 9th July, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 9th July, 1932.			
	June 18	June 25	July 2	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	2	2	3	—	—	—	3
Typhus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Small-pox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Measles	9	8	7	—	2	—	5
Scarlet Fever	123	119	117	19	17	—	119*
Diphtheria	71	66	62	19	11	3	67
Pneumonia	27	32	29	4	1	—	32

* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the **Twelve Principal Towns** are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Principal Towns, 13.1 and 13.6; City of Dublin, 12.3 and 13.3; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 10.3 and 13.6; Cork, 9.3 and 12.5; Limerick, 18.5 and 13.9; and Waterford, 5.9 and 9.8.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.5 per 1,000. Among the 14 deaths from all causes for Cork was one from whooping-cough; of the 7 deaths for Galway 2 were from whooping-cough and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years; and the 4 for Sligo included one from measles.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 260—137 boys and 123 girls, and the number of deaths 109—58 males and 51 females. Sixteen of the births and 11 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 98 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 12.3 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 12.4, 14.3 and 14.3.

There were 13 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 6 from whooping-cough, and 7 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 4, 4, and 4; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were one, 5, and one.

Tuberculous disease caused 7 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis) as against 12, 16, and 10 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 16 by diseases of the heart.

There were 9 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 7 deaths.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 6 were due to whooping-cough, one to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 7 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth, 4 to congenital malformation, and one to congenital debility.

Twenty-five of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 22 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 28 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 21 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 98 deaths recorded, 49 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 16th July was equal to an average annual rate of 10.6 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 11.5

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 10.0) the mortality among civilians was 9.9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10.4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10.0 and for Edinburgh 9.9.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoea; diseases

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday 16th July, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrheal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomylitis and Encephalitis	Lethargia	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	June 25	2	.	2	23	.	10	3	1	—	.	.	2	.	.	.	—	12	61
	July 2	.	.	.	10	.	13	3	1	—	.	.	2	.	.	.	—	13	42
	July 9	.	.	.	19	.	14	3	—	—	.	1	1	.	.	.	—	9	47
	July 16	.	.	.	20	.	13	.	—	—	.	.	2	.	.	.	—	6	47
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	June 25	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 9	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 16	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Cork C.B.	June 25	.	.	15	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	4	6	27
	July 2	.	.	20	1	.	2	1	.	1	.	—	2	.	.	.	2	2	32
	July 9	.	.	18	2	.	1	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	2	4	30
	July 16	.	.	7	2	.	1	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	4	.	22
Limerick C.B.	June 25	.	.	—	9	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	14
	July 2	.	.	—	2	—	6	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	.	9
	July 9	.	.	—	5	—	6	1	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	3	16
	July 16	.	.	—	6	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	8
Waterford C.B.	June 25	1	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	July 2	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 9	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 16	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 16th July, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 16th July, 1932.			
	June 25	July 2	July 9	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	2	3	3	.	.	.	3
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	8	7	5	2	2	.	5
Scarlet Fever ...	119	117	119	21	24	.	116*
Diphtheria ...	66	62	67	16	8	.	75
Pneumonia ...	32	29	32	9	6	1	34

* Exclusive of 22 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Principal Towns, 11.9 and 13.4; City of Dublin, 11.7 and 13.2; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 14.6 and 14.7; Cork, 11.3 and 12.4; Limerick, 5.3 and 11.3; and Waterford, 13.7 and 10.3.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.8 per 1,000. Among the 7 deaths from all causes for Waterford was one from whooping-cough.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 215—114 boys and 101 girls, and the number of deaths 108—50 males and 58 females. Twenty-five of the births and 15 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 93 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 11.7 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 14.3, 14.3 and 12.3.

There were 8 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 4, 4, and 6; deaths from diphtheria were 3, 3 and 0; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 5, one, and 7. There were no deaths from measles in the three previous weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (9 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from intestinal tuberculosis), as against 16, 10, and 7 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 10 by diseases of the heart.

There were 7 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 5 deaths.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one of which was due to injuries caused by a tram-car, and one by a train.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 2 were due to whooping-cough, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, and 2 to premature birth.

Sixteen of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 8 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 27 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 19 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 93 deaths recorded, 42 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 23rd July was equal to an average annual rate of 9.5 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 10.4.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9.6) the mortality among civilians was 9.2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12.1 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12.4 and for Edinburgh 12.2.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by		BIRTHS	DEATHS													METEOROLOGY														
		Deaths			Total Deaths	Under 1 year of Age	65 years and upwards	Principal Epidemic Diseases								Influenza	Tuberculosis	Cancer	Violence	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Air Temperature				Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine				
		From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases					Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhea and Enteritis	Other Forms	Pneumonia	Other								Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest	Mean Maximum (A)	Mean Minimum (B)			Mean of (A) and (B)			
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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)		
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,019	24.9	11.9	0.8	325	156	19	43	.	1	3	2	5	.	15	5	7	13	17	9	9	70	4	
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	23.8	11.7	1.0	190	93	8	27	1	1	2	2	3	.	9	2	6	7	10	3	4	42	.	{ (d) 67.2 (e) 68.5	42.0	65.3	50.4	57.7	0.38	32.5		
Boro' DON LAOGHAIRE	35,600	14.6	14.6	1.5	10	10	2	4	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	2	1	1	.	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CORK Co. BOROUGH	78,490	35.9	11.3	1.3	54	17	1	6	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	1	1	2	2	1	.	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK	39,448	19.8	5.8	1.3	15	4	1	2	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD	26,647	21.5	13.7	2.0	11	7	3	3	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	14,227	The annual rates for these			24	8	2	3	3
DUNDALK	13,996	urban districts will be			4	4	1	1	4
DROGHEDA	12,716	shown in the			3	6	3	1	1
WEXFORD	11,879	Quarterly			2	3	1	1
SLIGO	11,437	Return			2	1	1	1
TRALEE	10,533				9	3	1	1	1
KILKENNY	10,046				1	3	1	1
BELFAST CO. BORO' ..	415,151	25.6	9.5	0.8	204	76	10	31	.	.	1	1	1	.	7	.	5	2	9	2	2	24	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDONDERRY ..	45,159	21.9	10.4	1.2	19	9	1	4	3	3
LONDON ..	4,377,000	16.9	9.6	—	1,420	807	56	356	.		2	5	3	15	3	56	12	150	29	12	37	43	—	2	77.0	46.0	69.6	52.0	60.8	0.48	19.1	
EDINBURGH ..	445,300	—	12.2	0.5	145	104	7	42	.	7	1	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	73.0	49.0	84.6	50.9	57.7	0.21	89.8	
GLASGOW ..	1,106,500	—	12.4	0.3	419	263	35	97	.	1	1	1	8	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	34	—	—	—	67.9	47.2	64.1	50.6	57.4	0.66	47.5	

(a) See note at foot of fourth page. (b) According to the Census of 1926, but in the cases of the City of Dublin, the Borough of Dun Laoghaire, Edinburgh and Glasgow, the populations given are those estimated to the middle of 1932, while the estimates shown for London relates to the civil population in 1931. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Piccadilly Park. (d) Observations by John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (Sunshine returned by Trinity College). (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1932	ANNUAL RATE- PER 1,000 POPULA- TION	AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM										In Public Institutions	Inquest Cases	Other Causes	Violence	Pneumonia	Other	Diseases Res- piratory System	Number Uncertified		
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*See note at foot of fourth page. (The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1924.)

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday 23rd July, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash(—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Polymyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	July 2	.	.	.	10	.	13	2	1	—	—	—	3	.	.	—	13	42
	July 9	.	.	.	19	.	14	3	—	—	—	1	1	.	.	—	9	47
	July 16	.	.	.	20	.	13	.	—	—	—	—	2	.	.	—	6	47
	July 23	1	.	.	16	.	21	1	—	—	—	—	1	.	.	—	7	47
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	July 2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 9	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	—	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	July 16	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 23	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
Cork C.B.	July 2	.	.	20	1	.	2	1	.	1	.	—	3	.	.	2	2	32
	July 9	.	.	18	2	.	1	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	4	30
	July 16	.	.	7	2	.	1	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	4	22
	July 23	.	.	11	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	—	.	.	.	1	1	18
Limerick C.B.	July 2	.	.	—	2	—	6	.	.	—	—	—	1	.	.	—	.	9
	July 9	.	.	—	5	—	6	1	.	—	—	—	1	.	.	—	3	16
	July 16	.	.	—	6	—	2	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	8
	July 23	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	6
Waterford C.B.	July 2	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 9	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
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TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 23rd July, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 23rd July, 1932.			
	July 2	July 9	July 16	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	3	3	3	1	.	.	4
Typhus	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles	7	5	5	3	.	1	7
Scarlet Fever	117	119	116	13	27	1	101*
Diphtheria	62	67	75	21	12	2	82
Pneumonia	29	32	34	2	8	1	27

* Exclusive of 23 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the **Twelve Principal Towns** are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 12.3 and 12.8; City of Dublin, 12.3 and 12.7; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 4.4 and 10.3; Cork, 17.9 and 13.4; Limerick, 18.5 and 12.9; and Waterford, 9.8 and 10.8.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.8 per 1,000. Among the 27 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from whooping-cough, and 2 from diphtheria.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 296—155 boys and 141 girls, and the number of deaths 115—56 males and 59 females. Thirty-four of the births and 17 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 98 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 12.3 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 14.3, 12.3 and 11.7.

There were 7 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 3 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 4, 6, and 2; deaths from diphtheria were 3, 0 and 2; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were one, 7, and 3.

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (10 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and one from tuberculous salpingitis), as against 10, 7, and 11 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Thirteen deaths were caused by cancer, and 20 by diseases of the heart.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 6 deaths.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 3 were due to whooping-cough, one to convulsions, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, and 2 to premature birth.

Seventeen of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 12 being infants under one year, of whom 2 were under one month old, and 28 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 22 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 98 deaths recorded, 53 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 30th July was equal to an average annual rate of 12.6 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 11.5.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9.6) the mortality among civilians was 9.3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10.3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10.0 and for Edinburgh 9.9.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases

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TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday 30th July, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended		Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	July 9	9	.	.	.	19	.	14	3	.	—	.	1	1	.	.	—	9	47
	July 16	16	.	.	.	20	.	13	.	.	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	6	47
	July 23	23	1	.	.	16	.	21	1	.	—	.	.	1	.	.	—	7	47
	July 30	30	.	.	.	12	.	16	.	.	—	.	.	1	.	.	—	4	33
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	July 9	9	.	.	—	.	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 16	16	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	July 23	23	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 30	30	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
Cork C.B.	July 9	9	.	.	18	2	.	1	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	4	30
	July 16	16	.	.	7	2	.	1	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	1	22
	July 23	23	.	.	11	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	—	.	.	.	1	1	18
	July 30	30	.	.	6	3	.	4	.	.	6	.	—	.	.	.	1	2	22
Limerick C.B.	July 9	9	.	.	—	5	—	6	1	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	3	16
	July 16	16	.	.	—	6	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	8
	July 23	23	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	6
	July 30	30	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	3	10
Waterford C.B.	July 9	9	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 16	16	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 23	23	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
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TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 30th July, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 30th July, 1932.			
	July 9	July 16	July 23	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	3	3	4	1	..	..	5
Typhus	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles	5	5	7	..	1	..	6
Scarlet Fever	119	116	101	12	17	..	96*
Diphtheria	67	75	82	19	13	1	87
Pneumonia	32	34	27	1	13	..	15

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the **Twelve Principal Towns** are given in Table 1. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 11.1 and 12.1; City of Dublin, 11.2 and 11.9; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 7.3 and 9.2; Cork, 11.3 and 12.6; Limerick, 9.3 and 12.9; and Waterford, 9.8 and 9.8.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.7 per 1,000. Among the 17 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 211—124 boys and 87 girls, and the number of deaths 100—55 males and 45 females. Twenty-one of the births and 11 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 89 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 11.2 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 12.3, 11.7 and 12.3.

There were 5 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 6, 2, and 3; deaths from diphtheria were 0, 2, and one, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 7, 3, and 3. There were no deaths from scarlet fever in the three previous weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 9 deaths (7 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from tuberculous enteritis), as against 7, 11, and 14 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Three deaths were caused by cancer, and 10 by diseases of the heart.

There were 3 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and one from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 6 deaths.

There were 3 accidental deaths—being children aged 1, 2, and 5 years, and the 3 were caused by scalds.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to whooping-cough, one to tuberculosis, one to meningitis, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 10 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-one of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 19 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 14 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 89 deaths recorded, 35 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 6th August was equal to an average annual rate of 11.6 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 10.4.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 8.6) the mortality among civilians was 8.8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10.7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11.0 and for Edinburgh 11.2.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	BIRTHS		TOTAL DEATHS	DEATHS										CAUSED BY										METEOROLOGY									
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by			TOTAL NUMBER	Principal Epidemic Diseases										Influenza	Tuberculosis		Cancer	Diseases Respiratory System		Violence	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Air Temperature								
		From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases			Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Pneumonia	Other	Other Forms	Absolute Highest		Mean Maximum (a)	Mean Minimum (b)		Mean of (a) and (b)	Rainfall in Inches					Hours of Bright Sunshine								
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COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)			
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	22.7	11.1	0.7	296	145	34	32	.	.	1	2	1	5	1	10	6	8	7	13	5	2	54	4			
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	23.8	11.2	0.6	190	89	24	19	.	.	1	1	1	2	1	7	2	3	3	10	3	.	35	2	{ (c) 74.4 (d) 74.1 (e) 74.8 72	42.2 48.0 42.0 49	68.6 67.9 69.0 65.5	53.2 56.7 54.1 57.1	60.9 62.3 61.5 61.3	0.17 0.09 0.17 0.48	37.7 32.2 36.0			
BORO' DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,600	16.1	7.3	.	11	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CORK CO. BOROUGH	78,490	25.2	11.3	1.3	38	17	2	3	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK ..	39,448	14.5	9.3	1.3	14	7	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD, " ..	26,647	27.4	9.8	.	14	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	14,227	The annual rates for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Return			6	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK ..	13,996				8	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA ..	12,716				4	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD ..	11,879				2	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO ..	11,437				3	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE ..	10,533				3	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KILKENNY ..	10,046				7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CO BORO' ..	415,151	25.0	11.6	1.6	199	92	12	30	1g	.	1	4	.	6	1	9	4	9	11	.	2	1	29	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDONDERRY ..	45,159	20.8	10.4	3.5	18	9	4	2	.	1	1	2	.	2	.	.	2	44	2	121	25	14	43	1	82	54	74.4	55.4	64.9	1.18	28.4	.	.	
LONDON ..	4,363,800	14.6	8.6	—	1,223	721	58	350	.	1	.	3	6	15	2	44	2	121	25	14	28	43	—	—	68.0	51.0	63.6	53.1	58.4	0.41	19.2	.	.	
EDINBURGH ..	445,300	—	11.2	0.2	133	95	11	43	.	.	.	3	2	14	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	70.2	50.4	64.4	54.8	59.6	0.31	21.9	.	.	
GLASGOW ..	1,106,500	—	11.0	0.4	412	232	44	85

(a) See note at foot of fourth page. (b) According to the Census of 1926, but in the cases of the City of Dublin, the Borough of Dun Laoghaire, Edinburgh and Glasgow, the populations given are those estimated to the middle of 1932, while the estimates shown for London relate to the civil population in 1931. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (Sunshine returned by Trinity College). (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Enteric Fever.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended **Saturday, 31st August, 1924**, in various parts of the County of Cork, the number of deaths from all causes and from the principal epidemic diseases, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the principal epidemic diseases.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1932*	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION		AGES AT DEATH												DEATHS FROM Principal Epidemic Diseases												Diseases Res- piratory System		Violence	Other Causes	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified		
			ALL CAUSES	PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC Dis- EASES	Total Deaths												Principal Epidemic Diseases												Tuber- culosis	Cancer						Pneumonia	Other
					Under 1 year	1-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms																	
					(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)				
CITY OF DUBLIN.																																					
NORTH CITY No. 1 EAST					35,600	17.6	1.5	12	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 1 WEST					43,200	20.8	1.7	17	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 2					26,800	7.8	0.4	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 3					33,900	10.9	0.7	7	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF					1,900	11.3	5.6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF					9,200	11.3	5.6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF					200	7.7	0.1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
COOLICK AND DRUMCONDRA, PART OF					20,400	7.7	0.1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF					12,100	4.3	0.1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
SOUTH CITY No. 1					38,900	11.3	1.4	8	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 2					14,400	29.0	1.1	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 3					45,700	11.4	1.1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 4					33,900	4.6	0.1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
CLONDALKIN, PART OF					600	6.0	0.1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
CRUMLIN, PART OF					6,100	7.4	0.1	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
DONSYPROOK Nos. 1 AND 2					35,000	9.3	1.5	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
NEW KILMAINHAM					16,900	9.3	1.5	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF					1,900	7.5	0.1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
RATHMINES Nos. 1 AND 2					41,500	7.5	0.1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN					415,900	11.2	0.6	89	24	3	4	2	5	14	18	19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	7	2	3	3	10	3	55	35	2		
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)								11	1			1	1	4	2	2							1		2	1			2		5		11				
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																					
CORK URBAN, No. 1					12,837	4.1	0.1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
" " No. 2					11,208	9.3	0.1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 3					10,971	14.3	9.5	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 4					8,642	27.9	0.1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 5					5,613	17.4	0.1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 6					12,005	12.1	0.1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 7					17,214	12.1	0.1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK					78,490	11.3	1.3	17	2			1	2	9	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2		3		3		8		3			

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1924.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended Saturday 6th Aug., 1932, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	July 16	16	1	—	20	13	1	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	6	47
	July 23	23	—	—	16	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	7	47
	July 30	30	—	—	12	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	4	33
	Aug. 6	6	—	—	11	17	5	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	16	51
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	July 16	16	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
	July 23	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	July 30	30	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Aug. 6	6	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Cork C.B.	July 16	16	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	22
	July 23	23	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	18
	July 30	30	—	6	3	4	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	22
	Aug. 6	6	—	7	2	—	—	—	1	7	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	20
Limerick C.B.	July 16	16	—	—	6	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
	July 23	23	—	—	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
	July 30	30	—	—	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	3	10
	Aug. 6	6	1	—	4	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9
Waterford C.B.	July 16	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	July 23	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	July 30	30	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Aug. 6	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 6th Aug., 1932, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 6th Aug., 1932.			
	July 16	July 23	July 30	No. admitted	Dis-charged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	3	4	5	1	2	—	4
Typhus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Small-pox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Measles	5	7	6	1	3	—	4
Scarlet Fever	116	101	96	10	25	—	81*
Diphtheria	75	82	87	22	10	1	98
Pneumonia	34	27	15	6	5	—	16

* Exclusive of 22 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the Twelve Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 10.1 and 11.4; City of Dublin, 10.9 and 11.5; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 10.3 and 9.2; Cork, 8.6 and 12.4; Limerick, 13.2 and 11.6; and Waterford, 5.9 and 9.8.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.6 per 1,000.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 261—121 boys and 140 girls, and the number of deaths 102—53 males and 49 females. Twenty-seven of the births and 15 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 87 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 10.9 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 11.7, 12.3 and 11.2.

There were 6 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from measles one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were one, 0, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough were 2, 3 and one; deaths from diphtheria were 2, one and one, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 3, 3, and 2.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (8 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 11, 14, and 9 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, and 12 by diseases of the heart.

There were 9 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and one from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 6 deaths.

There were 3 accidental deaths—one of which was due to drowning.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Twenty of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 12 being infants under one year, of whom 3 were under one month old, and 23 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 17 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 87 deaths recorded, 49 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 13th August was equal to an average annual rate of 8.3 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 13.9.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9.5) the mortality among civilians was 9.7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11.3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10.6 and for Edinburgh 11.2.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 13th August, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Saorstát Éireann** and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEOROLOGY for the week: also similar particulars for LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	BIRTHS		DEATHS		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by	BIRTHS	CAUSED BY														METEOROLOGY												
		From all Causes		From Principal Epidemic Diseases				Total Deaths	Under 1 year of Age	65 years and upwards	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age		Influenza	Pulmonary		Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest	Mean Maximum (a)	Mean Minimum (b)	Mean of (a) and (b)	Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine
		From Principal Epidemic Diseases	From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases	From all Causes											Tuberculosis	Other Forms																	
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)			
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	28.7	10.1	0.6	375	132	20	36	•	1	•	1	1	1	5	•	15	5	8	11	9	5	7	68	1	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	29.3	10.9	0.8	234	87	12	23	•	1	•	1	1	3	•	8	4	7	9	6	3	3	49	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
BORO' DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,600	20.5	10.3	•	14	7	1	3	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	3	•	•	•	•	•	•	2	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
CORK CO. BOROUGH	78,490	18.6	8.6	0.7	28	13	3	2	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
LIMERICK ..	39,448	19.8	13.2	•	15	10	2	4	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
WATERFORD, ..	26,647	54.8	5.9	•	28	3	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	14,227	•	•	•	12	4	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
DUNDALK ..	13,996	•	•	•	7	1	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
DRUGHEDA ..	12,716	•	•	•	8	2	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
WEXFORD ..	11,879	•	•	•	9	1	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
SLIGO ..	11,437	•	•	•	8	2	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
TRALEE ..	10,533	•	•	•	8	1	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
KILKENNY ..	10,046	•	•	•	12	1	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
BELFAST CO. BORO' ..	415,151	20.7	8.3	0.4	165	66	5	22	•	•	•	•	•	1	•	8	2	11	2	1	3	4	21	4	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
LONDONDERRY ..	45,159	26.6	13.9	2.3	23	12	3	1	•	•	•	•	•	2	•	1	1	1	2	•	•	3	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
LONDON ..	4,363,800	15.6	9.5	—	1,312	791	51	396	•	1	•	4	4	4	12	2	36	9	124	25	22	45	63	—	3	88.0	55.0	81.4	57.3	69.4	0.15	69.7		
EDINBURGH ..	445,300	—	11.2	0.4	139	95	9	45	•	1	•	1	1	1	2	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	—	—	75.0	52.0	70.7	55.7	63.2	0.11	42.4		
GLASGOW ..	1,106,500	—	10.6	0.5	396	224	30	65	1g	1	•	1	3	12	1	—	—	—	—	•	•	—	—	—	—	72.3	54.1	67.1	56.6	61.8	0.86	19.5		

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AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	July 23	1	.	.	16	.	21	1	.	—	.	.	1	.	.	—	7	47
	July 30	.	.	.	12	.	16	.	.	—	.	.	1	.	.	—	4	33
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	11	.	17	5	.	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	16	51
	Aug. 13	2	1a	.	19	.	14	2	.	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	11	51
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	July 23	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 30	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 6	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 13	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
Cork C.B.	July 23	.	.	11	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	—	.	.	.	1	1	18
	July 30	.	.	6	3	.	4	.	.	6	.	—	.	.	.	1	2	22
	Aug. 6	.	.	7	2	.	.	.	1	7	.	—	.	.	.	1	2	22
	Aug. 13	1	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	7	.	—	1	.	.	.	1	16
Limerick C.B.	July 23	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	3	6
	July 30	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	10
	Aug. 6	1	.	—	4	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Aug. 13	.	.	—	—	—	6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	6
Waterford C.B.	July 23	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 30	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 13	.	.	—	4	—	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5

(a) Pyrexia.

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 13th August, 1932, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended August 13th 1932.			
	July 23	July 30	Aug. 6	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	4	5	4	1	.	.	5
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	7	6	4	1	2	.	3
Scarlet Fever ...	101	96	81	17	27	.	71*
Diphtheria ...	82	87	98	13	14	.	97
Pneumonia ...	27	15	16	2	1	1	16

* Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas, from which the deceased were admitted.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the **Twelve Principal Towns** are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Principal Towns, 11.7 and 11.3; City of Dublin, 10.8 and 11.3; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 7.3 and 7.3; Cork, 12.0 and 12.5; Limerick, 18.5 and 14.9; and Waterford, 9.8 and 8.8.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.2 per 1,000. Among the 5 deaths from all causes for Dun Laoghaire were one from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and one of the five deaths for Waterford was from diphtheria.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 294—169 boys and 125 girls, and the number of deaths 104—59 males and 45 females. Twenty-seven of the births and 18 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 86 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 10.8 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 12.3, 11.2 and 10.9.

There were 13 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from measles one from whooping-cough, and 11 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were 0, 0, and one; deaths from whooping-cough were 3, one and one; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 3, 2, and 3.

Tuberculous disease caused 8 deaths (6 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from tuberculosis of kidney), as against 14, 9, and 12 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 8 by diseases of the heart.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Pneumonia caused 3 deaths.

One accidental death, due to injuries caused by a motor-vehicle, was registered.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to meningitis, one to convulsions, 9 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation, and one to congenital debility.

Twenty-seven of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 22 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 15 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 86 deaths recorded, 41 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 20th August was equal to an average annual rate of 11.7 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 10.4.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9.3) the mortality among civilians was 9.1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10.2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10.0 and for Edinburgh 9.9.

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† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoea diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended Saturday, 20th August, 1932, in relation to the Twelve Principal Towns of the County of Londonderry, and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEORLOGY for the week: also similar particulars for LONDON, DUBLIN, GLASGOW, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	BIRTHS		DEATHS		CAUSED BY																		METEOROLOGY												
	Popula- tion (b)	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons re- presented by	Deaths		BIRTHS	Total Number	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Principal Epidemic Diseases				Influenza	Pulmonary	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest	Mean Maximum (A)	Mean Minimum (B)	Mean of (A) and (B)	Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine	
			From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases											Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Tuber- culosis																		Other Forms
																	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Other																	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)				
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	28.9	11.7	1.2	377	153	28	41	.	1	.	2	1	12	.	10	3	13	9	7	3	4	68	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,903	33.5	10.8	1.6	267	86	18	22	.	1	.	1	.	11	.	6	2	10	8	4	1	1	41	1	{	46.3	66.9	55.0	60.9	0.57	9.1				
Boro' DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,800	14.6	7.3	2.9	10	5	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	1	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	{	47.0	67.3	55.9	61.6	0.59	9.5				
CORK CO. BOROUGH	78,490	20.6	12.0	.	31	18	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK ..	39,448	19.8	18.5	.	15	14	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	2	.	(c) 73.3	66.8	55.0	60.9	0.55	9.5		
WATERFORD, " ..	26,647	29.4	9.8	2.0	15	5	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	2	.	(d) 73.0	66.9	58.6	62.8	0.57	9.1		
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	14,227	.	.	.	9	3	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	.	(e) 74.2	67.3	55.9	61.6	0.59	9.5		
DUNDALK ..	13,996	The annual rates for these urban dis- tricts will be	.	.	6	7	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA ..	12,716	.	.	.	7	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD ..	11,879	.	.	.	7	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO ..	10,433	.	.	.	7	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE ..	10,383	.	.	.	1	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	50	67.0	54.0	60.5	0.53	11.0	
KILKENNY ..	10,046	Quarterly Return	.	.	3	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	78	54	71.1	57.5	64.3	0.21	—
BELFAST CO. BORO' ..	415,151	18.8	11.7	1.3	150	93	19	24	.	1	1	4	.	4	.	4	1	8	8	2	3	4	34	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON DERRY ..	45,159	36.9	10.4	3.5	32	9	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON ..	4,363,800	15.5	9.3	—	1,304	776	55	360	1 (g)	3	4	5	5	13	1	45	7	123	32	22	48	62	—	1	99.0	52.0	85.4	59.7	72.6	0.22	46.8				
EDINBURGH ..	445,300	—	9.9	0.6	124	84	6	45	.	.	.	4	1	12	—	—	71.0	53.0	64.0	55.0	59.5	0.03	15.3				
GLASGOW ..	1,106,500	—	10.0	0.5	421	212	33	70	.	1	2	2	2	12	1	—	—	—	5	23	11	—	—	—	—	51.3	64.1	54.9	59.5	0.07	9.7				

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REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.

*See note at foot of fourth page.

tThe populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1928.

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AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Letargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	July 30	.	.	.	12	.	16	.	.	—	.	.	1	.	.	—	4	33
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	11	.	17	5	.	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	16	51
	Aug. 13	.	1a	.	19	.	14	2	.	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	11	51
	Aug. 20	.	.	.	12	.	22	1	.	—	.	.	3	.	.	—	8	46
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	July 30	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 6	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 13	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 20	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
Cork C.B.	July 30	.	.	6	3	—	4	.	.	6	.	—	.	.	.	1	2	22
	Aug. 6	.	.	7	2	—	.	.	1	7	.	—	.	.	.	1	2	20
	Aug. 13	1	.	5	1	—	.	.	.	7	.	—	1	.	.	1	1	16
	Aug. 20	.	.	3	2	—	.	.	.	8	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	13
Limerick C.B.	July 30	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	3	10
	Aug. 6	1	.	—	4	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Aug. 13	.	.	—	—	—	6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	6
	Aug. 20	.	.	—	2	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	6
Waterford C.B.	July 30	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Aug. 13	.	.	—	4	—	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Aug. 20	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	4

(a) Pyrexia.

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 20th August, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended August 20th 1932.			
	July 30	Aug. 6	Aug. 13	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	5	4	5	2	.	.	7
Typhus	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles	6	4	3	.	1	.	2
Scarlet Fever	96	81	71	11	14	.	68*
Diphtheria	87	98	97	23	14	.	106
Pneumonia	15	16	16	5	4	2	15

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.8 per 1,000. Among the 9 deaths from all causes for Dun Laoghaire was one from diphtheria; and, the 6 deaths for Limerick included one from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 266—145 boys and 121 girls, and the number of deaths 109—58 males and 51 females. Twenty-seven of the births and 12 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 97 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 12.2 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 11.2, 10.9 and 10.8.

There were 16 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, and 14 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were one, 0, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough were one, one and one; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, 3 and 11.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 9, 12, and 8 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart. There were 5 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 4 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one of which was due to drowning, and one to injuries caused by a motor-vehicle. There was also one death by suicide.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 14 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation, and 2 to congenital debility.

Twenty-eight of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 22 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 18 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 12 were aged 70 years or over.

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* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

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Dublin City	Aug. 6	.	.	.	11	.	17	5	.	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	16	51
	Aug. 13	2	1a	.	19	.	14	2	.	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	11	51
	Aug. 20	.	.	.	12	.	22	1	.	—	.	.	3	.	.	—	8	46
	Aug. 27	9	.	.	15	.	13	2	.	—	—	9	48
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Aug. 6	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 13	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 20	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 27	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	Aug. 6	.	.	7	2	—	.	.	1	7	.	—	.	.	.	1	2	20
	Aug. 13	1	.	5	1	—	.	.	.	7	.	—	1	.	.	.	1	16
	Aug. 20	.	.	3	2	—	.	.	.	8	.	—	13
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	21	.	—	1	25
Limerick C.B.	Aug. 6	1	.	—	4	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Aug. 13	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	6
	Aug. 20	.	.	—	2	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	6
	Aug. 27	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	4
Waterford C.B.	Aug. 6	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Aug. 13	.	.	—	4	—	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Aug. 20	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Aug. 27	.	.	—	8	—	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9

(a) Pyrexia.

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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended August 27th 1932.			
	Aug. 6	Aug. 13	Aug. 20	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	4	5	7	9	.	.	16
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	4	3	2	1	1	.	2
Scarlet Fever ...	81	71	68	21	5	1	83*
Diphtheria ...	98	97	106	13	23	1	95
Pneumonia ...	16	16	15	2	4	1	12

* Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.9 per 1,000. Two of the 12 deaths from all causes for Cork were from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age, and one of the 16 deaths for Limerick, and 2 of the 6 deaths for Waterford were from the same cause ; and the 4 deaths for Sligo included one from measles.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 220—112 boys and 108 girls, and the number of deaths 108—51 males and 57 females. Thirty-four of the births and 9 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 99 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 12.4 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 10.9, 10.8 and 12.2.

There were 19 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from enteric fever, one from diphtheria, and 17 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were one, one and 0 ; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 3, 11 and 14. There were no deaths from enteric fever in the three previous weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 8 deaths (6 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 12, 8, and 12 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

There were 5 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia, and one from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 7 deaths.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to diphtheria, one to convulsions, one to pneumonia, 14 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation, and 5 to congenital debility.

Thirty-three of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 25 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 26 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 21 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 99 deaths recorded, 42 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions. **CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.**—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs ; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

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In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9.4) the mortality among civilians was 9.2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11.6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11.2 and for Edinburgh 14.2.

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† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

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Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION		DEATHS FROM																											
			ALL CAUSES	PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES	AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM																	
															Principal Epidemic Diseases				Tuber- culosis		Diseases		Violence	Other Causes	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified					
					Under 1 year	1-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia						Other	Respiratory System			
					(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)		
CITY OF DUBLIN.					COLS.																											
NORTH CITY					35,600	17.6	7.3	12	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 1 EAST					48,200	19.3	4.8	16	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 1 WEST					26,800	11.7	3.9	6	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 2					33,900	12.4	1.6	8	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 3					...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF					9,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF					...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF					200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
COOLICK & DRUMCONDRA, NOS. 1 & 2, PART OF					26,400	15.3	...	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF					12,100	8.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SOUTH CITY					36,900	9.9	2.8	7	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 1					14,400	21.7	3.6	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 2					45,700	8.0	...	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 3					33,900	15.4	3.1	10	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 4					600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CLONDALKIN, PART OF					6,100	17.1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CROMLIN, PART OF					35,000	4.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
DONNYBROOK NOS. 1 AND 2					16,900	18.5	6.2	6	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NEW KILMAINHAM					1,900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF					41,500	10.1	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
RATHMINES NOS. 1 AND 2					415,900	12.4	2.4	99	25	5	3	2	5	12	21	26	1	...	1	17	1	6	2	5	5	8	...	53	...	42	...	
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN					...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)					9	2	1	...	1	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	9	...
CORK CO. BOROUGH.					...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CORK URBAN, No. 1					12,837	4.1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 2					11,208	9.3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 3					10,971	14.3	4.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 4					8,642	18.1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 5					5,613	9.3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 6					12,005	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 7					17,214	6.1	3.0	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK					78,400	8.0	1.3	12	2	1	...	1

*See note at foot of fourth page.

The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926. (a) Enteric fever.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 3rd September, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrheal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Infectious Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Aug. 13	2	1a	19	14	2	22	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	11	51
	Aug. 20	—	—	12	—	—	22	1	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	8	46
	Aug. 27	9	—	15	13	—	13	2	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	9	48
	Sept. 3	—	—	12	17	1	17	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	44
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Aug. 13	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Aug. 20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Aug. 27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Sept. 3	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Cork C.B.	Aug. 13	1	—	5	2	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	16
	Aug. 20	—	—	3	2	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13
	Aug. 27	—	—	2	2	—	1	—	—	21	—	—	1	—	1b	—	1	25
	Sept. 3	—	—	5	1	—	2	—	—	44	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	56
Limerick C.B.	Aug. 13	—	—	—	2	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	6
	Aug. 20	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	6
	Aug. 27	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
	Sept. 3	—	—	—	1	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
Waterford C.B.	Aug. 13	—	—	4	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5
	Aug. 20	—	—	3	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
	Aug. 27	—	—	8	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9
	Sept. 3	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5

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Enteric Fever	5	7	16	1	—	1	16
Typhus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Small-pox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Measles	3	2	2	—	—	—	2
Scarlet Fever	71	68	83	16	7	—	92*
Diphtheria	97	106	95	16	17	2	92
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City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 198—98 boys and 100 girls, and the number of deaths 127—78 males and 49 females. Twenty-five of the births and 20 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 107 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 13.4 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 10.8, 12.2 and 12.4.

There were 15 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 4 from whooping-cough, and 11 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were one, one and 0; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 11, 14 and 17.

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Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, and 6 by diseases of the heart.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar-pneumonia and 2 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 7 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered. There was also one death by suicide.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS.	Popula- tion (b)	BIRTHS		DEATHS												METEOROLOGY																			
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons re- presented by		CAUSED BY												Air Temperature.																			
		DEATHS		Principal Epidemic Diseases												In Public Institutions										Absolute Highest									
		From all Causes	From Principal demic Diseases	Under 1 year of Age	65 years and upwards	Bacterial Fever, Typhus Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Absolute Lowest	Mean Maximum (A)	Mean Minimum (B)	Mean of (A) and (B)	Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine								
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)					
Total Deaths																																			
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DEATHS.

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AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Aug. 20	.	.	.	12	.	23	1	.	—	.	.	3	.	.	—	8	46
	Aug. 27	9	.	.	15	.	13	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	9	48
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	12	.	17	1	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	9	44
	Sept. 10	7	.	.	32	.	10	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	66
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Aug. 20	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 27	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 3	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 10	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	Aug. 20	.	.	3	2	—	.	.	.	8	.	—	.	.	.	.	1	13
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	21	.	—	.	.	.	.	1	25
	Sept. 3	.	.	1	1	—	2	.	.	44	.	—	1	.	1a	1	1	56
	Sept. 10	.	.	4	2	—	.	.	.	17	.	—	.	.	.	.	1	23
Limerick C.B.	Aug. 20	.	.	—	2	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	6
	Aug. 27	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	4
	Sept. 3	.	.	—	1	—	6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	7
	Sept. 10	.	.	—	6	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	12
Waterford C.B.	Aug. 20	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Aug. 27	.	.	—	8	—	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Sept. 3	.	.	—	5	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Sept. 10	.	.	—	7	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	7

(a) Encephalitis lethargica

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases** of the undermentioned **Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 10th September, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 10th September, 1932.			
	Aug. 20	Aug. 27	Sept. 3	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	7	16	16	7	1	1	21
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	2	2	2	2	.	.	4
Scarlet Fever ...	68	83	92	27	18	.	101*
Diphtheria ...	106	95	92	12	22	.	82
Pneumonia ...	15	12	16	7	8	.	15

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.8 per 1,000. Among the 27 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from diphtheria and 5 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age, and the 8 deaths for Limerick included one from diphtheria.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 250—129 boys and 121 girls, and the number of deaths 137—66 males and 71 females. Thirty-two of the births and 14 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 123 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 15.4 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 12.2, 12.4 and 13.4.

There were 16 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from enteric fever, 3 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria and 11 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever were 0, one and 0; deaths from whooping-cough were one, 0 and 4; deaths from diphtheria were 0, one and 0; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 14, 17 and 11.

Tuberculous disease caused 20 deaths (18 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 12, 8 and 16 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Fourteen deaths were caused by cancer, and 16 by diseases of the heart.

There were 2 deaths from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 6 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one of which was due to injuries caused by a motor-vehicle.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, 3 were due to whooping-cough, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 11 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-two of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 27 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 39 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 22 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 123 deaths recorded 60 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OR 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION		AGES AT DEATH														DEATHS FROM Principal Epidemic Diseases											Inquest Cases		Number Unidentified																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																	
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* See note at foot of fourth page.

† The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1924. ‡ Enteric fever.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 17th September, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks: A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Aug. 27	9	.	.	15	.	13	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	9	48
	Sept. 3	3	.	.	12	.	17	1	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	9	44
	Sept. 10	7	.	.	32	.	10	1	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	12	66
	Sept. 17	8	.	.	31	.	15	1	.	—	.	.	3	1	.	—	13	72
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Aug. 27	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 10	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Sept. 17	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	Aug. 27	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	21	.	—	.	.	.	1	1	25
	Sept. 3	.	.	5	1	—	2	.	.	44	.	—	1	.	1a	.	1	56
	Sept. 10	.	.	4	2	—	.	.	.	17	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	23
	Sept. 17	.	.	2	3	—	3	1	.	23	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	32
Limerick C.B.	Aug. 27	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	4
	Sept. 3	.	.	—	1	—	6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	7
	Sept. 10	.	.	—	6	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	12
	Sept. 17	.	.	—	7	—	18	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	2	27
Waterford C.B.	Aug. 27	.	.	—	8	—	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Sept. 3	.	.	—	5	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Sept. 10	.	.	—	7	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	7
	Sept. 17	.	.	—	12	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	12

(a) Encephalitis lethargica

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases** of the undermentioned **Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 17th September, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 17th September, 1932.			
	Aug. 27	Sept. 3	Sept. 10	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	16	16	21	10	5	.	26
Typhus	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles	2	2	4	1	1	.	4
Scarlet Fever	83	92	101	34	25	.	110*
Diphtheria	95	92	82	17	3	2	94
Pneumonia	12	16	15	7	4	1	17

* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.2 per 1,000. Among the 23 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from enteric fever and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age. One of the 8 deaths for Limerick and one of the 6 deaths for Dundalk were from diphtheria.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 211—116 boys and 95 girls, and the number of deaths 114—64 males and 50 females. Sixteen of the births and 15 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 99 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 12.4 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 12.4, 13.4 and 15.4.

There were 10 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 2 from enteric fever, one from diphtheria and 7 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever were one, 0 and one; deaths from diphtheria were one, 0 and one; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 17, 11 and 11.

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (8 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 8, 16 and 20 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, and 25 by diseases of the heart.

There was one death from broncho pneumonia. Bronchitis caused 4 deaths.

Five accidental deaths were registered, 2 of which were due to injuries caused by motor-vehicles, and one by falling on stairs. There was also one case of suicide.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to convulsions, 7 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, and 6 to congenital debility.

Twenty-three of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 27 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 17 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 99 deaths recorded 54 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 24th September, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Saorstát Éireann** and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEOROLOGY for the week: also similar particulars for LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by		BIRTHS		DEATHS																			CAUSED BY										METEOROLOGY					
		DEATHS		Total Number	Principal Epidemic Diseases																			Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Air Temperature					Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine							
		From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases		Under 1 year of Age	65 years and upwards	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Pulmonary		Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence																						
													Tuber-culosis	Other Forms																										
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)								
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	21.6	13.0	1.2	282	170	29	49	3g	.	.	.	.	3	10	.	14	5	11	2	13	6	9	82	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	24.4	12.4	1.3	195	99	18	27	2g	.	.	.	.	1	7	.	8	2	1	1	9	6	6	54	.	{	32.3	56.1	36.9	46.5	0.09	26.5				
Boro' DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,600	11.7	8.8	.	8	6	2	2	1g	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	2	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	{	32.4	57.2	42.4	49.8	0.08	20.4	
CORK Co. BOROUGH	78,490	18.6	15.3	1.3	28	23	2	3	1g	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	{	32.4	57.2	42.4	49.8	0.08	20.4	
LIMERICK ..	39,448	11.9	10.6	1.3	9	8	2	3	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	{	32.4	57.2	42.4	49.8	0.08	20.4	
WATERFORD, " ..	26,647	17.6	13.7	.	1	7	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	{	32.4	57.2	42.4	49.8	0.08	20.4	
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	14,227	.	.	.	3	6	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	{	32.4	57.2	42.4	49.8	0.08	20.4	
DUNDALK ..	13,996	.	.	.	3	6	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	{	32.4	57.2	42.4	49.8	0.08	20.4	
DROGHEDA ..	12,716	.	.	.	3	3	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	{	32.4	57.2	42.4	49.8	0.08	20.4	
WEXFORD ..	11,879	.	.	.	3	4	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	{	32.4	57.2	42.4	49.8	0.08	20.4	
SLIGO ..	11,487	.	.	.	3	2	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	{	32.4	57.2	42.4	49.8	0.08	20.4	
TRALEE ..	10,533	.	.	.	8	5	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	{	32.4	57.2	42.4	49.8	0.08	20.4	
KILKENNY ..	10,046	.	.	.	7	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	{	32.4	57.2	42.4	49.8	0.08	20.4	
BELFAST Co. BORO' ..	415,151	17.8	11.7	0.9	142	93	15	29	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	.	8	.	7	8	3	2	2	35	3	65.0	33.5	59.7	37.9	48.8	0.06	—			
LONDONDERRY ..	45,159	24.2	17.3	4.6	21	15	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	8	.	1	1	2	1	1	1	1								
LONDON ..	4,363,800	14.7	8.7	—	1,232	731	66	342	.	.	.	.	.	2	16	1	45	6	129	26	23	45	53	—	1	67.0	44.0	50.3	48.3	63.8	0.94	12.3			
EDINBURGH ..	445,300	—	10.2	0.2	130	87	11	34	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	—	—	—	—	8	5	—	—	—	—	57.0	36.0	54.7	42.0	48.4	0.12	38.6		
GLASGOW ..	1,106,500	—	11.4	0.5	396	242	32	70	2g	.	.	.	.	3	14	1	—	—	—	—	21	15	—	—	—	—	55.8	33.3	54.0	42.0	48.0	0.22	37.0			

(a) See note at foot of fourth page. (b) According to the Census of 1926, but in the cases of the City of Dublin, the Borough of Dun Laoghaire, Edinburgh and Glasgow, the populations given are those estimated to the middle of 1932, while the estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1931. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (Sunshine returned by Trinity College). (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Enteric fever.

Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION	AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM Principal Epidemic Diseases										Diseases Res- piratory System		Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified					
				Under 1 year						5-15				15-25				25-45		45-65		65 years and over							Tuberculosis	Violence	Other Causes		
				1-2	2-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	Small pox, Typhus, Enteric Fever, Dysentery	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other													
				ALL CAUSES	PRIN- CI- PAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES	TOTAL DEATHS																											
				(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)		
CITY OF DUBLIN.																																	
NORTH CITY No. 1 EAST				35,600	8.8	2.9	6	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	1+																		
" " No. 1 WEST				43,200	12.1	2.4	10	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																	
" " No. 2				24,800	13.6		7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																		
" " No. 3				33,900	7.8		5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																		
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLEKNOCK, PART OF				1,900																													
GLONESTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF				9,200	11.3		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																		
GLONESTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF				200																													
COOLICK & DRUMCONDEA, Nos. 1 & 2, PART OF				20,400	15.3	2.6	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																		
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF				12,100	4.3		1																										
SOUTH CITY No. 1				36,900	14.1	2.8	10	3	1					3	2																		
" " No. 2				14,400	18.1		5	2	1					2	3																		
" " No. 3				45,700	11.4		10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																		
" " No. 4				33,900	15.4		10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																		
" " No. 5				600			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																		
CLONALKIN, PART OF				6,100			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																		
CRUMLIN, PART OF				35,000	11.9	3.0	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																		
DUNYMOORE Nos. 1 AND 2				16,900	24.7		8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																		
NEW KILMAINHAM				1,900			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																		
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF				41,500	12.6	1.3	10	3					2	1																			
RATHMINES Nos. 1 AND 2							1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																		
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN				415,900	12.4	1.3	99	18	3	2	3	5	16	25	27	2+			1				8	2	8	1	9	6	55	6	54		
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)							15	1				1	1	7									1		3	1	1	9	1	15			
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																	
CORK UREAN, No. 1				12,837	24.4		6						3	3																			
" " No. 2				11,208	4.7		1																										
" " No. 3				10,971	14.3		3					1	1	1																			
" " No. 4				8,642	18.1	6.0	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1+																	
" " No. 5				5,813	27.9	9.3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																	
" " No. 6				12,005	4.3		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																	
" " No. 7				17,214	18.2		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																	
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK				78,490	15.3	1.3	23	2	1	1		3	6	4	6	1+							4	2	1	1	3		10	1		10	

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 24th September, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Sept. 3	3	..	..	12	..	17	1	..	—	..	..	5	..	..	—	9	44
	Sept. 10	7	..	..	32	..	10	1	..	—	..	..	4	..	..	—	12	66
	Sept. 17	8	..	..	31	..	15	1	..	—	..	..	3	1	..	—	13	72
	Sept. 24	5	..	..	25	..	23	4	..	—	..	..	5	..	..	—	11	73
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Sept. 3	3	..	..	..	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	1
	Sept. 10	10	..	..	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	2
	Sept. 17	17	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	..
	Sept. 24	24	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	1
Cork C.B.	Sept. 3	3	..	..	5	1	2	..	..	44	..	—	1	..	1a	1	1	56
	Sept. 10	10	..	..	4	2	..	..	..	17	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	23
	Sept. 17	17	..	..	2	3	3	1	..	23	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	32
	Sept. 24	24	..	..	4	1	1	..	..	5	..	—	..	..	..	3	4	18
Limerick C.B.	Sept. 3	3	..	..	—	1	6	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	7
	Sept. 10	10	..	..	—	6	5	..	..	—	..	—	1	..	..	—	..	12
	Sept. 17	17	..	..	—	7	18	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	2	27	
	Sept. 24	24	..	..	—	11	23	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	34
Waterford C.B.	Sept. 3	3	..	..	—	5	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	5
	Sept. 10	10	..	..	—	7	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	7
	Sept. 17	17	..	..	—	12	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	12
	Sept. 24	24	..	..	—	7	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	7

(a) Encephalitis lethargica

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases** of the undermentioned **Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 24th September, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 24th September, 1932.			
	Sept. 3	Sept. 10	Sept. 17	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	16	21	26	5	1	2	28
Typhus	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Small-pox	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles	2	4	4	4	2	..	6
Scarlet Fever	92	101	110	33	6	1	136*
Diphtheria	92	82	94	13	27	1	79
Pneumonia	16	15	17	5	4	..	18

* Exclusive of 22 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the Twelve Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Principal Towns, 12.9 and 13.3; City of Dublin, 12.2 and 13.4; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 13.2 and 10.3; Cork, 12.6 and 15.8; Limerick, 19.8 and 13.2; and Waterford, 11.7 and 14.2.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.3 per 1,000. Among the 15 deaths from all causes for Limerick were 2 from diphtheria; and 3 of the 6 deaths for Waterford, and 2 of the 6 for Sligo were from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 243—132 boys and 111 girls, and the number of deaths 119—63 males and 56 females. Thirty-one of the births and 22 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 97 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 12.2 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 13.4, 15.4 and 12.4.

There were 8 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from typhus fever, one from scarlet fever, 3 from diphtheria and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were 0, one, and one; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 11, 11, and 7. There were no deaths from typhus or scarlet fever in the three previous weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (15 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from tuberculous peritonitis), as against 16, 20, and 10 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 11 by diseases of the heart.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 9 deaths.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one of which was due to injuries caused by a motor-vehicle.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to influenza, one to meningitis, 2 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, and 3 to congenital debility.

Twenty-one of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 15 being infants under one year, of whom 3 were under one month old, and 21 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 12 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 97 deaths recorded 45 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 1st October was equal to an average annual rate of 12.4 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 11.5.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9.8) the mortality among civilians was 9.8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10.4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10.4 and for Edinburgh 11.3.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 1st October, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Saorstát Éireann** and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEOROLOGY for the week; also similar particulars for LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by		BIRTHS	Total Deaths	CAUSED BY										DEATHS										METEOROLOGY																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
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DEATHS.

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* See note at foot of fourth page.

† The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926. ‡ Typhus fever;

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Dublin City	Sept. 10	7	.	.	32	.	10	1	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	12	66
	Sept. 17	8	.	.	31	.	15	1	.	—	.	.	3	.	.	—	13	72
	Sept. 24	8	.	.	25	.	23	4	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	11	73
	Oct. 1	12	1a	.	30	.	15	2	1	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	10	66
Dun Laoghaire Boro	Sept. 10	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Sept. 17	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 24	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 1	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
Cork C.B.	Sept. 10	.	.	4	2	—	3	1	.	17	.	—	23
	Sept. 17	.	.	2	3	—	3	1	.	23	.	—	32
	Sept. 24	.	.	4	1	—	1	.	.	5	.	—	4	18
	Oct. 1	.	.	8	.	—	2	1	.	8	.	—	.	.	.	3	4	23
Limerick C.B.	Sept. 10	.	.	—	6	—	5	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	12
	Sept. 17	.	.	—	7	—	18	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	2	27
	Sept. 24	.	.	—	11	—	23	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	34
	Oct. 1	.	.	—	11	—	18	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	29
Waterford C.B.	Sept. 10	.	.	—	7	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	7
	Sept. 17	.	.	—	12	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	12
	Sept. 24	.	.	—	7	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	7
	Oct. 1	.	.	—	18	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	18

(a) Typhus

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Typhus	.	.	1	.	.	1	.
Small-pox
Measles	4	4	6	6	.	.	12
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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.8 per 1,000. Among the 6 deaths from all causes for Limerick were one from diphtheria; and one of the 5 for Tralee was from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 221—115 boys and 106 girls, and the number of deaths 124—61 males and 63 females. Twenty-five of the births and 10 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 114 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 14.3 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 15.4, 12.4 and 12.2.

There were 9 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 3 from diphtheria and 6 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were one, one, and 3; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 11, 7, and 3.

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There were 9 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 12 deaths.

One accidental death was registered, which was due to injuries caused by a railway-engine.

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Thirty-one of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 26 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 35 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 23 were aged 70 years or over.

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AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous 'Group')	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Sept. 17	8	—	—	31	—	15	1	—	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	13	72
	Sept. 24	—	—	—	25	—	13	4	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	11	73
	Oct. 1	—	1a	—	30	—	25	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	10	66
	Oct. 8	—	1a	—	26	—	23	4	1	—	—	—	10	—	—	—	4	70
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Sept. 17	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
	Sept. 24	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Oct. 1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Oct. 8	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Cork C.B.	Sept. 17	—	—	2	3	—	3	1	—	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	32
	Sept. 24	—	—	4	1	—	1	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	3	4	18
	Oct. 1	—	—	8	—	—	—	1	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	23
	Oct. 8	—	—	15	—	—	2	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	29
Limerick C.B.	Sept. 17	—	—	—	7	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	27
	Sept. 24	—	—	—	11	—	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	34
	Oct. 1	—	—	—	11	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	29
	Oct. 8	1	—	—	5	—	15	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	24
Waterford C.B.	Sept. 17	—	—	—	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12
	Sept. 24	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
	Oct. 1	—	—	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18
	Oct. 8	—	—	—	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	23

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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 8th October, 1932.			
	Sept. 17	Sept. 24	Oct. 1	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	26	28	25	1	—	—	26
Typhus	—	1	—	1	—	—	1
Small-pox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Measles	4	6	12	4	3	—	13
Scarlet Fever	110	136	150	33	24	—	159*
Diphtheria	94	79	74	28	6	3	93
Pneumonia	17	18	23	13	6	1	29

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.6 per 1,000. Among the 26 deaths from all causes for Cork were 5 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age; one of the 9 deaths for Limerick and one of the 7 deaths for Drogheda were from diphtheria, and one of the 3 deaths for Dundalk was from scarlet fever.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 219—117 boys and 102 girls, and the number of deaths 133—72 males and 61 females. Twenty-six of the births and 26 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 107 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 13.4 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 12.4, 12.2 and 14.3.

There were 12 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from enteric fever, one from typhus, one from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 5 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were 0, one, and 0; deaths from diphtheria were one, 3, and 3; deaths from enteric fever were 2, 0, and 0, deaths from typhus were 0, one, and 0; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 7, 3, and 6. There were no deaths from typhus or whooping-cough in the 3 preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (9 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease); as against 10, 16, and 7 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 13 by diseases of the heart.

There were 7 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 7 deaths.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one (that of a child aged one year 4 months) being due to scalds.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to whooping-cough, one to tuberculosis, one to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 5 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Twenty-three of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 2 were under one month old, and 33 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 22 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 107 deaths recorded, 47 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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(a) See note at foot of fourth page. (b) According to the Census of 1926, but in the cases of the City of Dublin, the Borough of Dun Laoghaire, Edinburgh and Glasgow, the populations given are those estimated to the middle of 1932, while the estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1931. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (Sunshine returned by Trinity College). (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) MacLercy. (g) One from Enteric fever and one from Typhus.

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REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTI- MATED POP- ULATION MIDDLE OF 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION		AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM										In Public Institutions	Inquest Cases				
		ALL CAUSES	PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DISEASES											Principal Epidemic Diseases															
				Total Deaths																									
				(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
CITY OF DUBLIN.																													
NORTH CITY																													
No. 1 EAST	35,600	10.3	1.2	7	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	4	1	4	...
" No. 1 WEST	43,200	4.8	...	10	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1	1	...
" No. 2	20,800	19.5	3.9	10	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
" No. 3	33,900	15.5	3.1	10	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF	1,900	—	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
CLONTARE AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF	9,200	17.0	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
CLONTARE AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF	200	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
COOLOCK & DRUMCONDRA, NOS. 1 & 2, PART OF	20,400	12.8	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF	12,100	4.3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
SOUTH CITY																													
No. 1	36,900	14.1	1.4	10	2	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...
" No. 2	14,400	21.7	7.2	16	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
" No. 3	45,700	18.3	2.3	16	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
" No. 4	33,900	12.3	1.5	8	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
CLONDALKIN, PART OF	600	—	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
CROMLIN, PART OF	6,100	17.1	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
DONNYBROOK NOS. 1 AND 2	35,000	10.4	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,900	21.6	3.1	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF	1,900	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
RATHMINES NOS. 1 AND 2	41,500	13.8	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN	415,900	13.4	1.5	107	17	4	2	...	4	12	35	33	2	...	1	2	2	5	2	9	3	10	7	9	3	52	2	47	2
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)																													
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																													
CORK URBAN, No. 1	12,837	20.3	9.3	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 2	11,208	14.0	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 3	10,971	10.0	9.5	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 4	8,642	18.1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 5	5,613	46.4	9.3	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 6	12,005	8.7	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" No. 7	17,214	12.1	...	4
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK	78,490	17.3	3.3	26	4	1	1	...	1	1	9	10	2	1	2	...	15	...	10	...

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(‡) Typhus.

(§) Enteric fever.

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AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Sept. 24	5	.	.	25	.	23	4	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	11	73
	Oct. 1	2	1a	.	30	.	15	2	1	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	10	66
	Oct. 8	2	1a	.	26	.	23	4	.	—	.	.	10	.	.	—	4	70
	Oct. 15	2	.	.	21	.	27	3	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	9	66
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Sept. 24	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 1	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 8	.	.	—	—	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Oct. 15	.	.	—	4	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	4
Cork C.B.	Sept. 24	.	.	4	1	—	1	.	.	5	.	—	.	.	.	3	4	18
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	—	2	1	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	4	23
	Oct. 8	.	.	15	—	—	2	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	2	29
	Oct. 15	.	.	5	2	—	1	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	2	12
Limerick C.B.	Sept. 24	.	.	—	11	—	23	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	34
	Oct. 1	.	.	—	11	—	18	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	29
	Oct. 8	1	.	—	5	—	15	1	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	1	24
	Oct. 15	1	.	—	5	—	11	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	18
Waterford C.B.	Sept. 24	.	.	—	7	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	7
	Oct. 1	.	.	—	13	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	18
	Oct. 8	.	.	—	23	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	23
	Oct. 15	.	.	—	22	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	23

(a) Typhus

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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 15th October, 1932.			
	Sept. 24	Oct. 1	Oct. 8	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	28	25	26	3	3	.	26
Typhus ...	1	.	1	.	.	1	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	6	12	13	2	4	.	11
Scarlet Fever ...	136	150	149	27	17	.	159*
Diphtheria ...	79	74	93	17	16	4	90
Pneumonia ...	18	23	20	7	7	2	27

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There were 13 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from enteric fever, one from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 7 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever were 0, 0, and one; deaths from whooping cough were 0, 0, and 2; deaths from diphtheria were 3, 3, and 2; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 3, 6, and 5. There were no deaths from measles in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (11 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis and one from tuberculous meningitis); as against 16, 7, and 12 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, and 17 by diseases of the heart.

There were 9 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, 1 from lobar pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 14 deaths.

Five accidental deaths were registered, one (that of a child aged one year 4 months) being due to burns, one to drowning, and one to injuries caused by a horse drawn lorry. There was also one case of suicide, and one case of infanticide.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to whooping-cough, 2 to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, 7 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation and 3 to congenital debility.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS	COLS.	BIRTHS		DEATHS														CAUSED BY							METEOROLOGY																				
				CAUSED BY																																									
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by		Principal Epidemic Diseases																																									
				Under 1 year of Age																																									
POPULATION (b)	(1)	BIRTHS		Total Deaths																																									
		From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases	From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Air Temperature							Mean of (a) and (b)			Hours of Bright Sunshine														
		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)														
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	22.4	13.8	1.2	293	180	32	56	1g	1	.	2	2	10	.	13	2	14	10	20	9	10	87	1														
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	26.1	15.4	1.6	208	123	23	34	1g	1	.	2	2	7	.	11	1	8	9	17	7	7	61	1	{ (c) 57.3 (d) 59.2 (e) 59.0 58	36.2 41.9 55.8 42	55.1 55.8 55.8 54.1	43.0 46.0 43.3 47.7	49.1 50.9 51.1 50.9	1.13 1.05 1.11 1.11	20.8 16.2 17.8														
BORO' DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,600	17.6	13.2	.	12	9	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	2	10								
CORK CO. BOROUGH	78,490	16.6	12.0	0.7	25	18	1	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	1	3								
LIMERICK " " "	39,448	13.2	9.3	1.3	10	7	2	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	1	3								
WATERFORD, " " "	26,617	15.7	13.7	.	8	3	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	1	3								
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	14,227	The annual rates for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Return	.	.	1	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	1	3								
DUNDALK " " "	13,996	.	.	.	1	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	1	3								
DROGHEDA " " "	12,716	.	.	.	1	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	1	3								
WEXFORD " " "	11,879	.	.	.	1	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	1	3								
SLIGO " " "	11,487	.	.	.	1	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	1	3								
TRALEE " " "	10,583	.	.	.	1	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	1	3								
KILKENNY " " "	10,046	.	.	.	1	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	1	3								
BELFAST CO BORO' ..	415,151	24.5	11.1	1.1	195	88	17	27	.	.	.	1	.	7	1	6	1	8	7	3	1	2	83	.	57	38	56.4	42.8	49.6	1.00	.														
LONDONDERRY " " "	43,159	19.6	12.7	1.2	17	11	4	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	1	8	2	.	.	2	2														
LONDON ..	4,363,800	14.2	11.0	—	1,194	919	73	445	.	.	.	2	3	22	7	63	8	141	76	40	46	61	—	.	65	39	59.0	48.1	53.6	1.21	18.7														
EDINBURGH ..	445,300	11.4	0.1	.	125	97	10	41	.	.	.	1	2	3	.	—	—	—	13	7	7	—	—	—	53.0	37.0	50.9	43.6	46.7	2.07	20.9														
GLASGOW ..	1,106,500	—	11.5	0.4	402	244	37	93	.	.	.	1	2	9	1	—	—	—	42	42	11	—	—	—	54.2	37.7	51.5	42.6	47.1	1.70	12.1														

(a) See note at foot of fourth page. (b) According to the Census of 1926, but in the cases of the City of Dublin, the Borough of Dun Laoghaire, Edinburgh and Glasgow, the populations given are those estimated to the middle of 1932, while the estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1931. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (Sunshine returned by Trinity College). (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Enteric fever.

DEATHS.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTI- MATED POPULA- TION MIDDLE OF 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION		AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM										Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
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(*) See note at foot of fourth page. (†) The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926. (‡) Enteric fever.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 22nd October, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Interstitial Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomylitis and Encephalitis	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Oct. 1	2	1a	..	30	..	15	2	1	—	..	..	5	..	..	—	10	66
	Oct. 8	3	1a	..	26	..	23	4	..	—	..	..	10	..	..	—	4	70
	Oct. 15	3	..	..	21	..	27	3	..	—	..	..	4	..	..	—	9	66
	Oct. 22	4	..	..	12	..	16	2	..	—	..	..	2	..	..	—	10	46
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Oct. 1	..	..	—	1	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	1
	Oct. 8	..	..	—	..	—	4	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	4
	Oct. 15	..	..	—	4	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	4
	Oct. 22	..	..	—	2	—	..	..	1	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	3
Cork C.B.	Oct. 1	..	..	8	..	—	2	1	..	8	..	—	..	..	..	..	4	23
	Oct. 8	..	..	15	..	—	2	..	..	8	..	—	..	..	..	2	2	29
	Oct. 15	..	..	5	2	—	1	..	..	2	..	—	..	..	..	..	2	12
	Oct. 22	..	..	11	2	—	2	..	..	1	..	—	..	..	..	15	4	35
Limerick C.B.	Oct. 1	..	..	—	11	—	18	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	29
	Oct. 8	1	..	—	5	—	15	1	1	—	..	—	1	..	..	—	..	24
	Oct. 15	1	..	—	5	—	11	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	1	18
	Oct. 22	..	..	—	9	—	13	..	2	—	..	—	1	..	..	—	3	28
Waterford C.B.	Oct. 1	..	..	—	18	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	18
	Oct. 8	..	..	—	23	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	23
	Oct. 15	..	..	—	22	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	23
	Oct. 22	..	..	—	24	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	24

(a) Typhus

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 22nd October, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 22nd October, 1932.			
	Oct. 1	Oct. 8	Oct. 15	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	25	26	26	3	..	1	28
Typhus ...	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles ...	12	13	11	3	4	..	10
Scarlet Fever ...	150	149	159	16	23	..	147*
Diphtheria ...	74	93	90	26	15	1	100
Pneumonia ...	23	29	27	7	6	2	26

Exclusive of 22 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

CUNNTAS SEACHTMHAINÉAMHAIL na mBREITH agus na mBÁS

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the Twelve Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Principal Towns, 12.9 and 13.5; City of Dublin, 13.2 and 14.1; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 13.2 and 12.8; Cork, 10.0 and 13.7; Limerick, 7.9 and 9.3; and Waterford, 21.5 and 13.7.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.1 per 1,000.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 202—98 boys and 104 girls, and the number of deaths 123—59 males and 64 females. Seventeen of the births and 18 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 105 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 13.2 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 14.3, 13.4 and 15.4.

There were 6 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from measles, 3 from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were 0, 0, and one; deaths from diphtheria were 3, 2, and 2; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 6, 5, and 7.

Tuberculous disease caused 5 deaths (4 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis and one from other forms of tuberculous disease); as against 7, 12, and 12 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 12 deaths.

Five accidental deaths were registered, one being due to burns, and one to injuries caused by a motor van.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to convulsions, one to bronchitis 2 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 6 to premature birth, 1 to congenital malformation and 1 to congenital debility.

Twenty-one of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 16 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 37 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 21 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 105 deaths recorded, 52 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 29th October was equal to an average annual rate of 11.3 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 15.0.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 10.7) the mortality among civilians was 10.5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11.3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11.3 and for Edinburgh 13.3.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases;

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 29th October, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Shorstat Eireann** and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEOROLOGY for the week: also similar particulars for LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	BIRTHS		DEATHS														CAUSED BY							METEOROLOGY																				
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons re-presented by		Principal Epidemic Diseases																																									
		From all Causes		Under 1 year of Age																																									
		From Principal Epidemic Diseases		65 years and upwards																																									
		Births	Deaths	Enteric Fever, Typhus	Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Diseases Respiratory System	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Air Temperature							Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest	Mean Maximum (a)	Mean Minimum (b)	Mean of (a) and (b)	Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine											
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)															
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	24.4	12.9	1.1	318	168	57	.	1	.	1	3	4	1	10	1	19	8	17	5	5	76												
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	23.2	13.2	0.8	185	105	37	.	1	.	.	3	2	.	4	1	12	6	14	5	5	52												
Boro' DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,600	5.9	13.2	.	4	9	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	2	.	1	.	2												
CORK Co. BOROUGH	79,400	23.8	10.0	.	35	15	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	2	.	.	9											
LIMERICK "	39,448	54.2	7.9	1.3	41	6	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	7												
WATERFORD, "	26,647	23.5	21.5	.	12	11	2	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1												
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	14,227	13.9	21.5	.	6	5	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1												
DUNDALK "	13,995	The annual rates for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Return	.	.	10	2	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	1												
DROGHEDA "	12,715	.	.	.	5	5	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD "	11,879	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SALIGO "	11,437	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE "	10,533	.	.	.	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KILKENNY "	10,046	.	.	.	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST Co. BORO' ..	415,151	22.0	11.3	0.5	175	90	11	32	.	.	.	.	1	.	9	1	7	5	7	3	3	33											
LONDONDERRY "	45,159	19.6	15.0	.	17	13	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	3	.	.	3											
LONDON ..	4,363,800	13.6	10.7	—	1,143	865	98	435	.	1	1	5	19	6	68	16	124	68	31	43	57	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—												
EDINBURGH "	445,300	13.3	0.4	.	126	113	14	46	.	.	.	.	2	1	—	—	—	16	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—								
GLASGOW "	1,106,500	—	11.3	0.6	365	240	37	81	.	.	.	.	11	3	—	—	—	34	13	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—								

(a) See note at foot of fourth page. (b) According to the Census of 1926, but in the cases of the City of Dublin, the Borough of Dun Laoghaire, Edinburgh and Glasgow, the populations given are those estimated to the middle of 1932, while the estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1931. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (Sunshine returned by Fitzwilliam College). (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Market.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended Saturday, 29th October, 1932, in relation to the City of Dublin and the County Borough of Cork* by Registrars' Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes, and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC "SEASES."

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTI- MATED POP- ULATION MIDDLE OF 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION	AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM										In Public Institutions	Inquest Cases	Number Uncertified					
			Principal Epidemic Diseases										Tuber- culosis																	
			Diseases Res- piratory System										Other Causes																	
			Under 1 year	1-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Small pox, Typhus, Enteric Fever, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence								
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)		
CITY OF DUBLIN.			Total Deaths																											
NORTH CITY			35,600	19.0	13	3	3	7	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 1 EAST			48,200	10.9	9	2	2	4	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 1 WEST			26,800	15.6	8	4	4	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 2			33,900	12.4	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 3			1,900	5.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF			9,200	5.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF			200	10.2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF			200	10.2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
COOLICK & DRUMCONDRA, Nos. 1 & 2, PART OF			20,400	8.6	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF			12,100	8.6	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
SOUTH CITY			36,900	11.3	8	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 1			14,400	7.2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 2			45,700	12.6	11	2	2	4	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 3			33,900	16.9	11	1	1	5	2	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 4			600	—	1	1	1	2	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONDALKIN, PART OF			6,100	8.5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CRUMLIN, PART OF			35,000	11.9	8	1	1	1	1	3	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
DONNYBROOK Nos. 1 AND 2			10,900	21.6	7	1	1	1	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
NEW KILMAINHAM			1,900	15.1	12	1	1	1	1	2	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF			41,500	15.1	12	1	1	1	1	2	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
RATHFARNHAM Nos. 1 AND 2			41,500	15.1	12	1	1	1	1	2	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN			415,900	13.2	105	16	16	37	1	27	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)			18	3	3	3	3	3	6	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																														
CORK URBAN, No. 1			12,837	8.1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
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" " " " " "			17,214	12.1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK			78,490	10.0	15	1	1	1	4	6	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	

(*) See note at foot of fourth page.

(†) The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 29th October, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Oct. 8	2	1a	.	26	.	23	4	.	—	.	.	10	.	.	—	4	70
	Oct. 15	2	.	.	21	.	27	3	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	9	66
	Oct. 22	4	.	.	12	.	16	2	.	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	10	46
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	12	.	23	3	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	5	48
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Oct. 8	.	.	—	—	—	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Oct. 15	.	.	—	4	—	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Oct. 22	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Oct. 29	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.
Cork C.B.	Oct. 8	.	.	15	.	—	2	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	2	29
	Oct. 15	.	.	5	2	—	1	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	2	12
	Oct. 22	.	.	11	2	—	2	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	15	4	35
	Oct. 29	.	.	7	1	—	1	.	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	4	19
Limerick C.B.	Oct. 8	1	.	—	5	—	15	1	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	1	24
	Oct. 15	1	.	—	5	—	11	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	18
	Oct. 22	.	.	—	9	—	13	.	2	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	3	28
	Oct. 29	1	.	—	12	—	12	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	26
Waterford C.B.	Oct. 8	.	.	—	23	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	23
	Oct. 15	.	.	—	22	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	23
	Oct. 22	.	.	—	24	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	24
	Oct. 29	.	.	—	30	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	30

(a) Typhus

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 29th October, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 29th October, 1932.			
	Oct. 8	Oct. 15	Oct. 22	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	26	26	28	.	5	.	23
Typhus ...	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	13	11	10	4	4	.	10
Scarlet Fever ...	149	159	147	18	22	1	142*
Diphtheria ...	93	90	100	21	24	3	94
Pneumonia ...	29	27	26	14	6	1	3

Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the Twelve Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Principal Towns, 14.1 and 13.6; City of Dublin, 14.4 and 14.1; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 10.3 and 13.6; Cork, 12.0 and 12.8; Limerick, 15.9 and 11.3; and Waterford, 15.7 and 14.7.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.8 per 1,000.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 206—112 boys and 94 girls, and the number of deaths 130—67 males and 63 females. Thirty of the births and 15 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 115 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 14.4 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 13.4, 15.4 and 13.2.

There were 8 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from enteric fever, three from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever were one, one, and 0; deaths from measles were 0, one, and one; deaths from scarlet fever were one, 0, and 0; deaths from diphtheria were 2, 2, and 3; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 5, 7, and 2.

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (13 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and one from other forms of tuberculous disease); as against 12, 12, and 5 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, and 13 by diseases of the heart.

There were 13 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 10 deaths.

Five accidental deaths were registered, 2 being due to injuries caused by motor cars, and one by a steam lorry. There was also one case of suicide.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, two were due to tuberculous disease, 2 to convulsions, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia—not otherwise defined, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth, one to congenital malformation and 7 to congenital debility.

Thirty-four of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 21 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 27 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 16 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 115 deaths recorded, 55 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 5th November was equal to an average annual rate of 13.4 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 18.5.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11.0) the mortality among civilians was 10.9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12.4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12.2 and for Edinburgh 13.5.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 5th November, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Saorstát Éireann** and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEOROLOGY for the week: also similar particulars for LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

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Districts, particulars of Deaths from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

DEATHS.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTIMATED POPULATION OF 1924	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION	AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM										In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified						
				Total Deaths										Principal Epidemic Diseases												Violence	Other Causes				
				Under 1 year	1-2	3-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other					Diseases Respiratory System			
CITY OF DUBLIN.		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	
NORTH CITY No. 1 EAST		35,600	7.3		5	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1									1	1	1	4	1	1	1	
" No. 1 WEST		43,200	12.1	1.2	10	3	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	1									1	1	1	4	1	1	1	
" No. 2		26,800	17.5	1.9	9	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	4	1	1	1	
" No. 3		33,500	12.4		8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	4	1	1	1	
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF		1,900	—		4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	2	1	1	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF		9,200	22.7		4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	2	1	1	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF		200	20.4	2.6	8	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	2	1	1	1	
COOLLOCK & DRUMCONDRA, NOS. 1 & 2, PART OF		20,400	8.6	4.3	2	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	2	1	1	1	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF		12,100																													
SOUTH CITY No. 1		36,900	17.0	2.8	12	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	3	1	1	1	
" No. 2		14,400	18.1		5	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 3		45,700	13.7		12	2	1	2	1	1	2	3	3	1	1									1	1	2	6	1	2	1	1
" No. 4		33,900	15.4	1.5	10	2	1	1	1	1	2	3	3	1	1									1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1
CLONDALKIN, PART OF		600	—		4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CROMLIN, PART OF		35,000	11.9		8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
DUNYMOORE Nos. 1 AND 2		16,900	27.8	3.1	9	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1									1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
NEW KILMAINHAM		1,900			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF		41,500	16.3		13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
RATHFARNHAM Nos. 1 AND 2		41,500	16.3		13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN		415,900	14.4	1.0	115	21	5	8	5	7	18	24	27	1	3	1	1	1	2	13	3	7	13	13	6	52	7	55	2	2	2
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)					15	3				2	2	6	2								2		4			9		15			
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																															
CORK URBAN, No. 1		12,837	12.2		3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																
" No. 2		11,203	4.7		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																
" No. 3		10,971	19.0		4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																
" No. 4		8,642	12.1		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																
" No. 5		5,613																													
" No. 6		12,005	13.0	4.3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																
" No. 7		17,214	15.1		5																										
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK		78,490	12.0	0.7	18	4		2	1	3	2	6									3		1	1							

(*) See note at foot of fourth page. (†) The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under-mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 5th November, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrheal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Oct. 15	2	.	.	21	.	27	3	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	9	66
	Oct. 22	4	.	.	12	.	16	3	.	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	10	46
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	12	.	23	3	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	5	48
	Nov. 5	2	.	.	25	.	21	4	.	—	.	.	3	.	.	—	8	63
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Oct. 15	.	.	—	4	—	.	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Oct. 22	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Oct. 29	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Nov. 5	1	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
Cork C.B.	Oct. 15	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	15	2	12
	Oct. 22	.	.	11	2	—	2	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	4	35
	Oct. 29	.	.	7	1	—	1	.	.	3	.	—	1	.	.	3	4	19
	Nov. 5	.	.	2	3	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	10
Limerick C.B.	Oct. 15	1	.	—	5	—	13	.	2	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	1	18
	Oct. 22	.	.	—	9	—	11	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	3	28
	Oct. 29	1	.	—	12	—	12	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	26
	Nov. 5	1	.	—	6	—	7	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	14
Waterford C.B.	Oct. 15	.	.	—	22	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	23
	Oct. 22	.	.	—	24	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	24
	Oct. 29	.	.	—	28	—	.	.	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	30
	Nov. 5	.	.	—	22	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	22

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 5th November, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 5th November, 1932.			
	Oct. 15	Oct. 22	Oct. 29	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	26	28	23	3	3	1	22
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	11	10	10	13	4	.	19
Scarlet Fever ...	159	147	142	32	26	.	148*
Diphtheria ...	90	100	94	22	23	1	92
Pneumonia ...	27	26	33	8	11	.	30

Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the **Twelve Principal Towns** are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 13.7 and 13.6; City of Dublin, 14.4 and 14.4; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 13.2 and 12.5; Cork, 8.6 and 10.7; Limerick, 14.5 and 11.9; and Waterford, 17.6 and 17.1.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.1 per 1,000.—Among the 11 deaths from all causes for Limerick was one from diphtheria, and one of the 4 deaths for Dundalk was also from this cause.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 174—92 boys and 82 girls, and the number of deaths 132—67 males and 65 females. Twenty-two of the births and 17 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 115 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 14.4 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 15.4, 13.2 and 14.4.

There were 8 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 2 from measles, one from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were one, one, and 3; deaths from whooping-cough were 2, 0, and 0; deaths from diphtheria were 2, 3, and one; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 7, 2, and 2.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis); as against 12, 5, and 16 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, and 10 by diseases of the heart.

There were 12 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 8 deaths.

Six accidental deaths were registered.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to tuberculous disease, one to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation and 2 to congenital debility.

Twenty-nine of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 21 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 38 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 27 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 115 deaths recorded, 48 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 12th November was equal to an average annual rate of 10.3 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 6.9.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 10.4) the mortality among civilians was 10.6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13.7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14.7 and for Edinburgh 12.9.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoea] diseases.

TABLE 1. — BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 12th November, 1932**, in relation to, the **Twelve Principal Towns of Saorstát Éireann** and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEOROLOGY for the week: also similar particulars for LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	COLS.	DEATHS										CAUSED BY										METEOROLOGY										
		BIRTHS		Under 1 year of Age								Principal Epidemic Diseases										Air Temperature					Rainfall in Inches					
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons represented by		Total Number								Principal Epidemic Diseases										Air Temperature					Rainfall in Inches					
		DEATHS		Total Number								Principal Epidemic Diseases										Air Temperature					Rainfall in Inches					
POPULATION (b)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	
From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhea and Enteritis	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest	Mean Maximum (A)	Mean Minimum (B)	Mean of (A) and (B)	Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine									
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	19.7	13.7	1.1	257	179	28	67																								
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	19.1	14.4	1.0	152	115	21	38																								
BORO' DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,600	33.7	13.2		23	9	1	6																								
CORK CO. BOROUGH	78,400	15.9	8.6	0.7	24	13	2	4																								
LIMERICK " " "	39,448	17.2	11.5	1.3	13	11																										
WATERFORD, " "	26,647	15.7	17.6	2.0	11	5	1	3																								
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	14,227																															
DUNDALK	13,996																															
DROGHEDA "	12,716																															
WEXFORD "	11,879																															
SLIGO "	11,437																															
TRALEE "	10,533																															
KILKENNY "	10,046																															
BELFAST CO BORO' ..	415,151	17.7	10.3	0.4	141	82	8	25																								
LONDONDERRY "	45,159	19.6	6.9		17	6																										
LONDON ..	4,363,800	13.9	10.4	—	1,165	872	90	393	1g	1	1	4	4	19	9	59	4	123	55	41	48	63	—	1	50	33	48.7	40.3	44.5	0.05	3.2	
EDINBURGH ..	445,300	—	12.9	0.0	144	110	20	50																								
GLASGOW ..	1,106,500	—	14.7	0.7	369	311	42	116																								

(a) See note at foot of fourth page. (b) According to the Census of 1926, but in the cases of the City of Dublin, the Borough of Dun Laoghaire, Edinburgh and Glasgow, the populations given are those estimated to the middle of 1932, while the estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1931. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (Sunshine returned by Trinity College). (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Marree. (g) Enteric Fever.

Districts, particulars of DEATHS from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTIMATED POPULATION OF MIDDLE OF 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		DEATHS FROM																In Public Institutions		Inquest Cases	Number Uncertified					
			ALL CAUSES	PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES	AGES AT DEATH																								
					Total Deaths	Under 1 year										65 years and over													
						1-2	2-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary					Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence	Diseases Respiratory System
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	
CITY OF DUBLIN, CORPS.																													
NORTH CITY, No. 1, EAST	...	35,600	13.2	1.5	9	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 2, WEST	...	43,200	18.1	2.4	15	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 3	...	26,800	13.6	1.6	8	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF	...	33,500	12.4	...	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF	...	1,900	17.0	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF	...	9,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
COOLOCK & DRUMCONDRA, NOS. 1 & 2, PART OF	...	20,400	17.9	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF	...	12,100	17.2	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SOUTH CITY No. 1	...	36,900	12.7	...	9	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 2	...	14,400	21.7	3.6	6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 3	...	45,700	12.6	1.1	11	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " No. 4	...	33,900	12.3	3.1	8	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONDALKIN, PART OF	...	600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
DONNYBROOK, PART OF	...	6,100	34.2	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
DONNYBROOK NOS. 1 AND 2	...	35,000	10.4	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NEW KILMAINHAM	...	16,900	6.2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF	...	1,900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
RATHMINE NOS. 1 AND 2	...	41,500	18.8	...	15	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN	...	415,900	14.4	1.0	115	21	1	7	5	13	8	22	33	2	1	3	2	1	12	7	12	13	6	56	6	48	...	...
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)					17	1	1	1	2	5	4	3	1	2	...	2	1	11	1	17
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																													
CORK URBAN, No. 1	...	12,837	8.1	4.1	2	1	1	2	...	2	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	
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Dublin City	Oct. 22	4	—	—	12	—	16	2	—	—	—	—	12	—	—	—	10	46
	Oct. 29	—	—	—	12	—	23	3	—	—	—	—	12	—	—	—	5	48
	Nov. 5	—	—	—	25	—	21	4	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	8	63
	Nov. 12	1	—	—	22	—	23	3	—	—	—	—	12	—	—	—	8	59
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Oct. 22	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
	Oct. 29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
	Nov. 5	1	—	—	—	—	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Nov. 12	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cork C.B.	Oct. 22	—	—	11	2	—	12	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	15	4	35
	Oct. 29	—	—	7	1	—	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	4	19
	Nov. 5	—	—	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	4	—	10
	Nov. 12	—	—	4	4	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	14
Limerick C.B.	Oct. 22	—	—	—	9	—	13	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	3	28
	Oct. 29	1	—	—	12	—	12	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	26
	Nov. 5	1	—	—	6	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14
	Nov. 12	—	—	—	8	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	13
Waterford C.B.	Oct. 22	—	—	—	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24
	Oct. 29	—	—	—	23	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30
	Nov. 5	—	—	—	22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	22
	Nov. 12	—	—	—	28	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	29

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 12th November, 1932, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended.			Week ended 12th November, 1932.			
	Oct. 22	Oct. 29	Nov. 5	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	28	23	22	1	10	—	13
Typhus ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Small-pox ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Measles ...	10	10	19	3	1	1	20
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Diphtheria ...	100	94	92	22	17	3	94
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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.5 per 1,000. Among the 11 deaths from all causes for Waterford were one from whooping-cough and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age; one of the 4 deaths for Dundalk was from whooping-cough, and one of the three deaths for Tralee was from enteric fever.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 208—103 boys and 105 girls, and the number of deaths 140—75 males and 65 females. Thirty-nine of the births and 23 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 117 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 14.7 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 13.2, 14.4 and 14.4.

There were 15 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 4 from measles, 5 from diphtheria, and 6 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were one, 3, and 2; deaths from diphtheria were 3, one, and 3; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, 2, and 2.

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (8 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from tuberculous meningitis); as against 5, 16, and 12 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Two deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

There were 17 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 13 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 8 deaths.

Eleven accidental deaths were registered, 2 of which were due to burns and scalds of children aged 5 years and one year and nine months respectively. One death was due to drowning; and 5 to injuries caused by motor vehicles. There was one case of suicide.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to diphtheria, one to cerebro spinal fever, 6 to broncho-pneumonia, 6 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation and one to congenital debility.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS	COLS.	BIRTHS		DEATHS		Total DEATHS		CAUSED BY												METEOROLOGY											
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons re- presented by	Births	From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases	Total Number	Under 1 year of Age	65 years and upwards	Principal Epidemic Diseases												Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Air Temperature					Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine	
									Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age	Influenza	Tuber- culosis		Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence				Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest	Mean Maximum (A)	Mean Minimum (B)	Mean of (A) and (B)			
															Pulmonary	Other Forms															
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	
TOTAL 12 TOWNS ..	680,919	21.4	13.7	1.5	279	179	56	1	4	.	2	5	8	.	15	2	7	18	13	12	10	87	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CITY OF DUBLIN ..	415,900	21.2	14.7	1.9	160	117	35	.	4	.	.	5	6	.	8	2	2	17	10	12	9	60	2	{ (c) 50.9 (d) 52.0 (e) 51.4	35.5	48.1	41.2	44.7	0.17	1.9	
Boro' DUN LAOGHAIRE	35,600	11.7	17.6	.	8	12	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	1	.	51	45	47.7	46.7	47.2	0.08	2.4	
CORK Co. BOROUGH	78,400	23.9	12.6	0.7	36	19	1	5	.	.	.	.	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK "	39,448	17.2	4.0	.	13	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD "	26,647	29.4	21.5	3.9	15	11	2	5	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	.	1	1	1	.	.	4	.	52	49.3	37.4	43.4	0.00	.	.	.
GALWAY Urban Dist.	14,227	The annual rates for these urban dis- tricts will be shown in the Quarterly Return	.	.	5	3	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK "	13,966	.	.	.	2	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA "	12,716	.	.	.	6	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD "	11,879	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO "	11,437	.	.	.	12	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE "	10,533	.	.	.	3	3	1	1g	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	50	37	47.1	41.2	44.1	0.52	.	.
KILKENNY "	10,046	.	.	.	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST Co BORO' ..	415,151	15.2	13.1	0.4	121	104	15	38	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	4	5	11	.	.	40	.	51.0	33.0	45.3	41.3	44.8	0.02	.	.
LONDONDERRY "	45,159	21.9	18.5	.	19	16	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	1	1	2	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON ..	4,363,800	14.2	11.4	—	1,194	952	87	433	1g	1	.	10	15	5	68	8	139	77	59	52	52	—	1	49	35	44.7	39.6	42.2	0.20	2.2	.
EDINBURGH ..	445,300	16.2	0.6	—	128	138	16	68	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	48.0	37.0	44.3	40.2	42.3	0.41	10.2	.
GLASGOW ..	1,109,500	15.0	0.4	—	387	317	36	118	.	.	1	1	4	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	48.7	30.8	44.8	38.7	41.8	0.12	5.7	.

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DEATHS.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTI- MATED POPULA- TION MIDDLE OF 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION		AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM										In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified							
		ALL CAUSES	PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES	TOTAL DEATHS										Principal Epidemic Diseases																		
				Under 1 year										Diarrhoea & Enteritis																		
				(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
CITY OF DUBLIN.																																
NORTH CITY	No. 1 EAST	35,600	22.0	15	6	2	3	6	2	3	1	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
"	No. 1 WEST	43,200	24.1	20	6	2	3	6	2	3	1	1	3	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
"	No. 2	26,800	7.8	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
"	No. 3	33,500	10.9	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF		9,200	22.7	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF		200	10.2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF		20,400	12.9	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
COOLOCK & DRUMCONRA, NOS. 1 & 2, PART OF		12,100	8.6	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF		36,900	15.5	11	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
SOUTH CITY	No. 1	14,400	18.1	5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
"	No. 2	45,700	17.1	15	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
"	No. 3	33,900	8.1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
"	No. 4	600	8.5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
CLONALKIN, PART OF		6,100	11.9	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
DORRILL, PART OF		35,000	9.3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
DORRILL, PART OF		16,900	18.8	15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
NEW KILMAINHAM		1,900	1.3	15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF		41,500	14.7	117	22	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
RATHFARNHAM NOS. 1 AND 2		415,900	1.9	117	22	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN		415,900	14.7	117	22	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)																																
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																
CORK URBAN, No. 1		12,837	12.2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
"	No. 2	11,208	18.6	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
"	No. 3	10,971	6.0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
"	No. 4	8,642	18.6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
"	No. 5	5,613	4.3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
"	No. 6	12,005	24.2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
"	No. 7	17,214	12.6	19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK		78,490	12.6	19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

(*) See note at foot of fourth page. (†) The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 19th November, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Oct. 29	29	1	—	12	—	23	3	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	5	48
	Nov. 5	5	—	—	25	—	21	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	63
	Nov. 12	1	—	—	22	—	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	59
	Nov. 19	1	—	—	23	—	22	—	—	—	—	—	6	1	—	—	3	58
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Oct. 29	29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Nov. 5	5	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
	Nov. 12	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Nov. 19	19	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
Cork C.B.	Oct. 29	29	—	—	7	1	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	4	19
	Nov. 5	5	—	—	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	4	—	10
	Nov. 12	12	—	—	4	4	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	14
	Nov. 19	19	—	—	3	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	5	2	14
Limerick C.B.	Oct. 29	29	1	—	12	—	12	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	26
	Nov. 5	5	1	—	6	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14
	Nov. 12	12	—	—	8	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	13
	Nov. 19	19	—	—	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	9
Waterford C.B.	Oct. 29	29	—	—	28	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30
	Nov. 5	5	—	—	22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	22
	Nov. 12	12	—	—	28	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	29
	Nov. 19	19	—	—	17	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 19th November, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 19th November, 1932.			
	Oct. 29	Nov. 5	Nov. 12	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	23	22	13	2	3	—	12
Typhus ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Small-pox ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Measles ...	10	19	20	11	13	1	17
Scarlet Fever ...	142	148	150	27	17	—	160*
Diphtheria ...	94	92	94	24	10	4	104
Pneumonia ...	33	6	21	5	5	1	20

* Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the **Twelve Principal Towns** are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 16.3 and 14.4; City of Dublin, 16.9 and 15.1; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 20.5 and 15.4; Cork, 12.0 and 11.3; Limerick, 18.5 and 13.2; and Waterford, 15.7 and 17.6.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.9 per 1,000. Among the 18 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from scarlet fever and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age; of the 14 deaths for Limerick 2 were due to diphtheria, and one to diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age; one of the 8 deaths for Waterford was from scarlet fever, and included in the 5 deaths for Kilkenny were one from scarlet fever and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 228—113 boys and 115 girls, and the number of deaths 160—79 males and 81 females. Twenty-eight of the births and 25 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 135 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 16.9 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 14.4, 14.4 and 14.7.

There were 4 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 2 from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were one, 0, and 0; deaths from diphtheria were one, 3, and 5; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, 2, and 6.

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (8 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and one from other forms of tuberculous disease); as against 16, 12, and 10 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, and 10 by diseases of the heart.

There were 24 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 17 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 16 deaths.

Five accidental deaths were registered, 2 of which were due to injuries caused by motor vehicles, and one by a tram-car.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age 2 were due to convulsions, 5 to bronchitis, 8 to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to pneumonia, one to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, 3 to congenital malformation, and 4 to congenital debility.

Forty-two of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 30 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 38 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 26 were aged 70 years or over.

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TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended Saturday, 26th November, 1932, in relation to the City of Dublin and the County Borough of Cork* by Registrars' Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.			ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM										Inquest Cases		In Public Institutions		Number Uncertified																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
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AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Nov. 5	2	..	..	25	..	21	4	..	—	..	..	2	..	..	—	2	63
	Nov. 12	1	..	..	22	..	23	3	..	—	..	..	2	..	..	—	2	59
	Nov. 19	1	..	..	23	..	22	3	..	—	..	..	6	1	..	—	3	58
	Nov. 26	7	..	..	21	..	20	3	..	—	..	..	6	..	..	—	16	73
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Nov. 5	1	..	—	..	—	2	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	3
	Nov. 12	..	..	—	1	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	1
	Nov. 19	..	..	—	1	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	3
	Nov. 26	..	..	—	1	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	1
Cork C.B.	Nov. 5	..	..	2	3	—	..	1	..	1	..	—	1	..	..	4	..	10
	Nov. 12	..	..	3	4	—	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	..	..	4	..	14
	Nov. 19	..	..	4	2	—	1	..	..	..	..	—	1	..	..	5	2	14
	Nov. 26	..	..	2	5	—	3	..	2	..	..	—	..	..	..	3	1	16
Limerick C.B.	Nov. 5	1	..	—	6	—	7	..	..	..	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	14
	Nov. 12	..	..	—	2	—	3	1	..	—	..	—	1	..	..	—	..	13
	Nov. 19	..	..	—	3	—	3	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	3	9
	Nov. 26	..	..	—	6	—	8	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	4	18
Waterford C.B.	Nov. 5	..	..	—	22	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	22
	Nov. 12	..	..	—	28	—	1	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	29
	Nov. 19	..	..	—	17	—	1	1	1	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	20
	Nov. 26	..	..	—	6	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	..	6

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 26th November, 1932, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 26th November, 1932.			
	Nov. 5	Nov. 12	Nov. 19	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	22	13	12	4	..	..	16
Typhus	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles	19	20	17	9	9	..	17
Scarlet Fever	148	150	160	20	26	2	152*
Diphtheria	92	94	104	20	15	2	107
Pneumonia	6	21	20	14	5	1	28

* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the Twelve Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Principal Towns, 15.3 and 14.8; City of Dublin, 15.8 and 15.5; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 26.4 and 19.4; Cork, 14.6 and 12.0; Limerick, 5.3 and 10.6; and Waterford, 9.8 and 16.2.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.1 per 1,000. Among the 5 deaths from all causes for Waterford was one from diphtheria, and one of the 4 deaths for Wexford was from whooping-cough.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 215—117 boys and 98 girls, and the number of deaths 140—74 males and 66 females. Nineteen of the births and 14 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 126 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 15.8 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 14.4, 14.7 and 16.9.

There were 10 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from enteric fever, 4 from measles, one from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were 2, 4, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough were one, 0, and 0; deaths from diphtheria were 3, 5, and one; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, 6, and one. There were no deaths from enteric fever in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 7 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis); as against 12, 10 and 11 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, and 16 by diseases of the heart.

There were 23 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 17 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 12 deaths.

Three accidental deaths were registered, 2 of which were caused by scalds.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age 3 were due to measles, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 11 to broncho-pneumonia, one to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation, and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty-nine of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 28 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 35 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 25 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 126 deaths recorded, 57 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 3rd December was equal to an average annual rate of 14.7 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 10.4.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11.1) the mortality among civilians was 11.5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13.3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14.3 and for Edinburgh 10.9.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended Saturday, 3rd December, 1932, in relation to the Twelve Principal Towns of Saisiat Eireann and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEOROLOGY for the week : also similar particulars for LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

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TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 3rd December, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Nov. 12	1	.	.	22	.	23	23	.	—	.	.	2	1	.	—	8	59
	Nov. 19	1	.	.	23	.	22	22	.	—	.	.	6	1	.	—	3	58
	Nov. 26	7	.	.	21	.	20	23	.	—	.	.	6	1	.	—	16	73
	Dec. 3	2	.	.	19	.	24	12	.	—	.	.	10	1	.	—	10	68
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Nov. 12	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 19	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Nov. 26	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	.	1
	Dec. 3	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
Cork C.B.	Nov. 12	.	.	4	4	—	.	1	.	1	.	—	1	.	.	4	2	14
	Nov. 19	.	.	3	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	5	2	14
	Nov. 26	.	.	2	5	—	3	.	2	1	.	—	1	.	1	3	1	16
	Dec. 3	.	.	2	3	—	3	.	1	1	.	—	1	.	1	2	1	15
Limerick C.B.	Nov. 12	.	.	—	8	—	3	1	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	3	13
	Nov. 19	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	4	9
	Nov. 26	.	.	—	6	—	8	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	18
	Dec. 3	.	.	—	7	—	9	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	17
Waterford C.B.	Nov. 12	.	.	—	28	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	29
	Nov. 19	.	.	—	17	—	1	1	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	20
	Nov. 26	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	6
	Dec. 3	.	.	—	10	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	11

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 3rd December, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 3rd December 1932.			
	Nov. 12	Nov. 19	Nov. 26	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	13	12	16	.	1	.	15
Typhus	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles	20	17	17	3	1	.	19
Scarlet Fever	150	160	152	19	30	.	141*
Diphtheria	94	104	107	21	16	2	110
Pneumonia	21	20	28	6	7	.	27

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.7 per 1,000. Among the 20 deaths from all causes for Cork were 2 from diphtheria; and 2 of the 11 deaths for Waterford were from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 190—91 boys and 99 girls, and the number of deaths 129—59 males and 70 females. Thirteen of the births and 12 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 117 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 14.7 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 14.7, 16.9 and 15.8.

There were 5 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising one from measles, one from diphtheria, and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were 4, 0 and 4; deaths from diphtheria were 5, one and 2; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 6, one and 2.

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (7 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 10, 11 and 7 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 15 by diseases of the heart.

There were 20 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 14 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 16 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one of which was due to injuries caused by a motor bus.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to measles, 2 to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty-four of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 35 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 26 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 117 deaths recorded, 47 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTIMATED POPULATION OF MIDDLE OF 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		DEATHS FROM																			Inquest Cases		Number Uncertified						
			ALL CAUSES	PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES	AGES AT DEATH																											
					Principal Epidemic Diseases																											
					DEATHS FROM																											
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)		
CITY OF DUBLIN.																																
NORTH CITY No. 1 EAST		35,600	8.8	1.5	6	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 2 WEST		48,200	15.7	1.2	13	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 3		26,800	13.6		7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" No. 4		33,900	10.9		7	2																										
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF		1,900																														
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF		9,200	17.0		3	1		2																								
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF		200																														
COOLICK & DRUMCONDRA, NOS. 1 & 2, PART OF		20,400	12.8		5	1		1																								
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF		12,100	17.2	4.3	4	2	1																									
SOUTH CITY No. 1		36,900	12.7		9	4																										
" No. 2		14,400	3.6		1																											
" No. 3		45,700	13.7		12	1		1																								
" No. 4		33,900	26.1		17	2	1		1	2	9	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
CLONDALKIN, PART OF		600																														
CRUMLIN, PART OF		6,100																														
DONYSBROOK NOS. 1 AND 2		35,000	11.9	3.0	8	3																										
NEW KILMAINHAM		10,900	27.8		9	1	1	1																								
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF		1,900																														
RATHMINES NOS. 1 AND 2		41,500	20.1		16	2				1	3	1	9																			
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN		415,900	14.7	0.6	117	24	3	7	6	3	18	21	35	1	1	1	3	1	3	7	3	6	20	19	2	55	2	47	2	2	2	
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)					12	3		1			2	4	2								1	1	1	1		2	7	1	12			
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																
CORK URBAN, No. 1		12,837	24.4	4.7	6	1		1			2	2	1																			
" No. 2		11,208	14.0		3	1																										
" No. 3		10,971	18.1																													
" No. 4		8,442	6.0		3	1																										
" No. 5		18,1	18.6																													
" No. 6		12,013	8.7		2																											
" No. 7		17,214	12.1		4						1	1	2																			
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK		78,490	13.3	1.3	20	1	2	1	1		3	5	7								2		3	2			1	11	1	9		

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TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 10th December, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks: A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Nov. 19	1	—	—	23	—	22	2	—	—	—	—	6	1	—	—	3	53
	Nov. 26	7	—	—	21	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	16	73
	Dec. 3	2	—	—	19	—	24	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	—	—	10	68
	Dec. 10	1	—	—	19	—	15	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	6	45
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Nov. 19	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
	Nov. 26	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Dec. 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	3
	Dec. 10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Cork C.B.	Nov. 19	—	—	3	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	5	2	14
	Nov. 26	—	—	2	3	—	3	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	16
	Dec. 3	—	—	2	5	—	3	—	1	1	—	—	1	—	1	2	1	15
	Dec. 10	—	—	6	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	5	2	15
Limerick C.B.	Nov. 19	—	—	—	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	9
	Nov. 26	—	—	—	6	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	18
	Dec. 3	—	—	—	7	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	17
	Dec. 10	—	—	—	3	—	14	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	22
Waterford C.B.	Nov. 19	—	—	—	17	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20
	Nov. 26	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
	Dec. 3	—	—	—	10	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11
	Dec. 10	—	—	—	8	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 10th December, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 10th December 1932.			
	Nov. 19	Nov. 26	Dec. 3	No. admitted	Dis-charged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	12	16	15	—	—	—	15
Typhus ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Small-pox ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Measles ...	17	17	19	12	1	3	27
Scarlet Fever ...	160	152	141	22	19	1	143*
Diphtheria ...	104	107	110	20	17	1	112
Pneumonia ...	20	28	27	2	5	2	22

* Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the Twelve Principal Towns are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Principal Towns, 15.9 and 15.5 ; City of Dublin, 16.7 and 16.0 ; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 23.4 and 20.9 ; Cork, 15.3 and 13.8 ; Limerick, 15.9 and 15.2 ; and Waterford, 9.8 and 14.2.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 0.7 per 1,000. Among the 12 deaths from all causes for Limerick was one from diphtheria ; and one of the 2 deaths for Dundalk was also from this disease.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 185—91 boys and 94 girls, and the number of deaths 148—78 males and 70 females. Twenty-four of the births and 15 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 133 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 16.7 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 16.9, 15.8 and 14.7.

There were 6 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 2 from measles, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteric children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were 4 and one ; deaths from whooping-cough were 0, one, and 0 ; deaths from diphtheria one, 2 and one ; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were one, 2 and 3.

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (12 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 11, 7 and 10 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, and 18 by diseases of the heart.

There were 24 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 14 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 8 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 14 deaths.

Four accidental deaths were registered, one of which was due to injuries caused by a motor bus, and one that of a child aged 2 years by scalds.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to measles, one to tuberculosis, one to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 9 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformations, and 2 to congenital debility.

Forty-three of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 28 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 26 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 22 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 133 deaths recorded, 51 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs ; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 17th December was equal to an average annual rate of 16.1 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 27.7.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 13.4) the mortality among civilians was 13.2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16.7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 19.8 and for Edinburgh 12.1.

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended **Saturday, 17th December, 1932**, in relation to the **City of Dublin** and the **County Borough of Cork*** by Registrars Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POP- ULATION MIDDLE OF 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULA- TION		DEATHS FROM														In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified															
					AGES AT DEATH							Principal Epidemic Diseases																							
												Tuber- culosis							Diseases																
					Under 1 year	1-5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence	Other Causes										
Total Deaths					(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)					
CITY OF DUBLIN.					(1)	(2)	(3)																												
NORTH CITY No. 1 EAST					35,600	11.7		8	2	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 1 WEST					43,200	33.8		28	5	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 2					26,800	19.5		10	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 3					33,600	17.1		11	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
BLANCHARDSTOWN and CASTLENOCK, PART OF					1,900																														
CLONTARF and HOWTH No. 1, PART OF					9,200	11.3		2	1																										
CLONTARF and HOWTH No. 2, PART OF					200																														
CONOR and DUNCORRUG, NOS. 1 & 2, PART OF					20,400	17.9		7	1																										
ENGLAS and GLASNEVIN, PART OF					12,100	17.2		4																											
SOUTH CITY No. 1					36,900	12.7		9	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 2					14,400	10.9		3	1	1																									
" " No. 3					45,700	16.0		14	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " No. 4					33,900	27.7		18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
CLONALKIN, PART OF					600																														
CRUMLIN, PART OF					6,100	17.1		2	1																										
DONNYBROOK Nos. 1 AND 2					35,000	10.4		7	2																										
NEW KILMAINHAM					16,900	6.2		2																											
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF					1,900			2																											
RATHMINES Nos. 1 AND 2					41,500	10.1		8	2																										
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN					415,900	16.7	0.8	133	28	7	8	9	4	14	37	26		2	1	1	2	1	12	2	9	24	16	4	59	3	51	2			
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)								15	4			2	1	4	4	1			2					1	1			10		15					
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																			
Cork Urban, No. 1					12,837	12.2		3					1	1	1														3	1	2				
" " No. 2					11,208			6	2				1	1	1														3	1	3				
" " No. 3					10,971	28.5							1	1	1														3	1	3				
" " No. 4					8,642	9.3		1																					1	1	1				
" " No. 5					5,613	17.4		1																					2	1	1				
" " No. 6					12,005	27.3		4																					5	1	8				
" " No. 7					17,214			9																					1	1	6				
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK					78,490	15.3		23	2	1	2		6	7	5					1					3	3	1	1	1	14	2	15			

(*) See note at foot of fourth page.

(†) The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 17th December, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Polymyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Nov. 26	7	.	.	21	.	20	3	.	—	.	.	6	.	.	—	18	73
	Dec. 3	3	.	.	19	.	24	2	.	—	.	.	10	.	.	—	10	68
	Dec. 10	1	.	.	19	.	15	2	.	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	6	45
	Dec. 17	14	.	.	29	.	22	2	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	13	84
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Nov. 26	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	.	1
	Dec. 3	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Dec. 10	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 17	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
Cork C.B.	Nov. 26	.	.	2	5	—	3	.	2	1	.	—	1	.	.	3	1	16
	Dec. 3	.	.	2	3	—	3	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	1	1	1	15
	Dec. 10	.	.	6	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	2	2	15
	Dec. 17	.	.	2	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	1	1	6
Limerick C.B.	Nov. 26	.	.	—	6	—	8	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	4	18
	Dec. 3	.	.	—	7	—	9	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	17
	Dec. 10	.	.	—	3	—	14	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	4	22
	Dec. 17	1	.	—	2	—	12	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	16
Waterford C.B.	Nov. 26	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	6
	Dec. 3	.	.	—	10	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	11
	Dec. 10	.	.	—	8	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Dec. 17	.	.	—	9	—	.	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	10

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases** of the undermentioned **Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 17th December, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 17th December 1932.			
	Nov. 26	Dec. 3	Dec. 10	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever ...	16	15	15	14	6	.	23
Typhus ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ...	17	19	27	8	8	1	26
Scarlet Fever ...	152	141	143	27	24	.	146*
Diphtheria ...	107	110	112	22	22	2	110
Pneumonia ...	28	27	22	2	3	2	19

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The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.9 per 1,000. Among the 25 deaths from all causes for Cork was one from diphtheria. The 13 deaths from all causes for Limerick included one from enteric fever and 3 from diphtheria, and 2 of the 4 deaths for Sligo were from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 165—100 boys and 65 girls, and the number of deaths 165—72 males and 93 females. Twenty-six of the births and 20 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 145 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 18.2 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 15.8, 14.7 and 16.7.

There were 15 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 2 from enteric fever, one from dysentery, 4 from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever were one, 0, and 0; deaths from measles were 4, one and 2; deaths from whooping-cough were one, 0, and one; deaths from diphtheria were 2, one and one; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 2, 3 and 2. There were no deaths from dysentery or scarlet fever in the three preceding weeks.

Three deaths were due to influenza.

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 7, 10 and 14 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Fourteen deaths were caused by cancer, and 16 by diseases of the heart.

There were 18 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 12 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 13 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one of which was that of a child aged 3 weeks due to burns, and one that of a child aged 4 years to scalds.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to tuberculosis, one to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 10 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformations, and 2 to congenital debility.

Forty-seven of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 31 being infants under one year, of whom 15 were under one month old, and 39 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 31 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 145 deaths recorded, 73 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions. CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

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TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 24th December, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns**: **Saorstát Éireann** and to **BELFAST** and **LONDONDERRY** County Boroughs, with the **METEOROLOGY** for the week; also similar particulars for **LONDON**, **EDINBURGH**, and **GLASGOW**.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	BIRTHS										DEATHS										CAUSED BY										METEOROLOGY																													
	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons represented by										Deaths										Deaths										Air Temperature																													
	From all Causes										From Principal Epidemic Diseases										Principal Epidemic Diseases										Inquest Cases										In Public Institutions										Number Uncertified									
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(a) See note at foot of fourth page. (b) According to the Census of 1926, but in the cases of the City of Dublin, the Borough of Dun Laoghaire, Edinburgh and Glasgow, the populations given are those estimated to the middle of 1932, while the estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1931. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Weather observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (Sunshine returned by Trinity College). (e) Botanic Gardens (Glasgow). (f) Weather observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (Sunshine returned by Trinity College).

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended Saturday, 24th December, 1932, in relation to the City of Dublin and the County Borough of Cork* by Registrars' Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.			ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE 1932†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		DEATHS FROM														Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions											
ALL CAUSES		PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES		AGES AT DEATH																												
						Under 1 year	1-4	5	5-15	15-25	25-45	45-65	65 years and over	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer	Pneumonia	Other	Violence	Other Causes						
CITY OF DUBLIN.			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	
NORTH CITY			35,600	16.1	5.9	11	2	1	3	1	1	3	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	1	4	4	7	1	
" No. 1 EAST			43,200	16.9	1.2	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	4	4	3	1		
" No. 2 WEST			29,800	13.6	1.9	7	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	2	6	7		
" No. 3			33,300	21.8		16	1	1	1	1	1	4	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLEKNOCK, PART OF			1,900	22.7		4	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
CLOSTARS AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF			200	23.0	2.6	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
CLOSTARS AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF			20,400	25.9	4.3	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
COOLICK & DROMCONDRA, Nos. 1 & 2, PART OF			12,100																													
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF																																
SOUTH CITY			36,900	19.3	2.8	14	4	2	1	1	1	3	3	1	1a	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	1	1	2	6	3		
No. 1			14,400	14.5		4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
No. 2			45,700	13.7	1.1	12	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
No. 3			33,900	26.1		17	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
No. 4			600																													
CLONALKIN, PART OF			6,100	34.2	8.5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
DORNEYBROOK Nos. 1 AND 2			35,000	11.9	3.0	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
NEW KILMAINHAM			16,900	15.4		5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF			1,900																													
KATHINES Nos. 1 AND 2			41,500	17.6	1.3	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN			415,900	18.2	1.9	145	31	7	9	4	4	16	35	39	3	4	1	1	4	2	8	11	14	18	16	2	66	2	73	1		
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)						20	1	1	1	1	5	6	6								1	1	2	2	1	1	13		20			
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																
CORK URBAN, No. 1			12,937	28.4		7	1	1	1	1	1	1	4																			
" No. 2			11,298	14.0		3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																			
" No. 3			10,971	9.5		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																			
" No. 4			8,842	12.1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																			
" No. 5			5,613	9.3		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																			
" No. 6			12,003	8.7	4.3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																			
" No. 7			17,311	24.2		8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																			
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK			78,400	16.6	0.7	25	5	2	1	1	1	2	7	7																		

(*) See note at foot of fourth page.

(†) The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

(a) Enteric fever.

(b) Dysentery.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 24th December, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrheal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis	Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Dec. 3	2	..	..	10	..	24	2	..	—	..	..	10	1	..	—	—	10	68
	Dec. 10	1	..	..	19	..	15	2	..	—	..	..	2	..	..	—	—	6	45
	Dec. 17	14	..	..	23	..	22	2	..	—	..	..	4	..	..	—	—	13	84
	Dec. 24	6	..	..	21	..	19	2	..	—	..	..	6	1	..	—	—	6	62
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Dec. 3	..	..	—	2	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	1	—	—	..	3
	Dec. 10	..	..	—	2	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	—	..	2
	Dec. 17	..	..	—	3	—	..	1	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	—	..	2
	Dec. 24	..	..	—	1	—	..	..	..	—	..	—	..	..	..	—	—	..	2
Cork C.B.	Dec. 3	..	..	2	3	—	3	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	15
	Dec. 10	..	..	2	..	—	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	1	15
	Dec. 17	..	..	2	2	—	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	1	6
	Dec. 24	..	..	2	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	6	2	2	15
Limerick C.B.	Dec. 3	..	..	—	7	—	9	..	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	1	17
	Dec. 10	..	..	—	14	..	14	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	4	22
	Dec. 17	1	..	—	2	—	12	..	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	1	16
	Dec. 24	..	..	—	4	—	12	..	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	16
Waterford C.B.	Dec. 3	..	..	—	10	—	1	..	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	11
	Dec. 10	..	..	—	8	—	..	..	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	9
	Dec. 17	..	..	—	9	—	..	..	1	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	10
	Dec. 24	..	..	—	6	—	..	..	..	—	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	..	6

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 24th December, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 24th December 1932,			
	Dec. 3	Dec. 10	Dec. 17	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	15	15	23	7	1	4	25
Typhus	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles	19	27	26	10	12	2	22
Scarlet Fever	141	143	146	15	45	1	115*
Diphtheria	110	112	110	15	20	4	101
Pneumonia	27	22	19	11	5	2	23

* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.

CÚNTAS SEACHTMHAINÉAMHAIL na mBREITH agus na mBÁS

WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

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PRINCIPAL TOWNS

Particulars of the Births and Deaths* recorded for the **Twelve Principal Towns** are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Principal Towns, 13.9 and 15.4; City of Dublin, 15.3 and 16.2; Borough of Dun Laoghaire, 7.3 and 16.5; Cork, 13.3 and 14.6; Limerick, 9.3 and 15.9; and Waterford, 17.6 and 19.6.

The deaths from the principal epidemic diseases,† recorded for the twelve Principal Towns last week, were equal to an annual rate of 1.1 per 1,000. Among the 3 deaths from all causes for Dundalk was one from diphtheria.

City of Dublin.—The number of births registered during the week was 176—96 boys and 80 girls, and the number of deaths 136—79 males and 57 females. Eighteen of the births and 14 of the deaths related to persons belonging to other localities.

The 122 deaths appertaining to the City are equivalent to a rate of 15.3 per 1,000, the rates in the three preceding weeks being 14.7, 16.7 and 18.2.

There were 13 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, comprising 3 from enteric fever, 8 from measles, one from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever were 0, 0, and 2; deaths from measles were one, 2 and 4; deaths from whooping cough were 0, one, and one; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis were 3, 2 and 2.

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 10, 14 and 11 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three preceding weeks.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 21 by diseases of the heart.

There were 19 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 11 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia—not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 12 deaths.

One accidental death was registered, that of a child aged 2 years, due to burns.

Among the deaths of infants under one year of age, one was due to measles, one to whooping-cough, 2 to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, 4 to pneumonia, one to diarrhoea and enteritis, 8 to premature birth, one to congenital malformations, and one to congenital debility.

Forty-six of the deaths recorded for the City during the week were those of children under 5 years, 28 being infants under one year, of whom 12 were under one month old, and 29 were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 24 were aged 70 years or over.

Of the 122 deaths recorded, 62 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Table III. shows the numbers notified in the City of Dublin, and in the Boroughs; and Table IV. the number of cases of certain diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals.

Northern Ireland and Great Britain.—The mortality from all causes for Belfast County Borough during the week ended 31st December was equal to an average annual rate of 13.6 per 1,000 of the population, and for Londonderry 10.4.

In 107 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 13.3) the mortality among civilians was 14.1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 20.7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 27.0 and for Edinburgh 16.6

* See note at foot of fourth page.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoea diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered (a) during the week ended **Saturday, 31st December, 1932**, in relation to the **Twelve Principal Towns of Saorstát Éireann** and to BELFAST and LONDONDERRY County Boroughs, with the METEOROLOGY for the week; also similar particulars for LONDON, EDINBURGH, and GLASGOW.

PRINCIPAL TOWNS	POPULATION (b)	BIRTHS		DEATHS		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons registered by	BIRTHS	CAUSED BY																METEOROLOGY																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
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		From all Causes	From Principal Epidemic Diseases	Measles	Scarlet Fever						Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea and Enteritis under 2 years of age		Influenza	Pulmonary		Cancer	Respiratory System		Violence	Inquest Cases		In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified	Absolute Highest	Absolute Lowest	Mean Maximum (a)	Mean Minimum (b)	Mean of (a) and (b)	Rainfall in Inches	Hours of Bright Sunshine																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
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TABLE 11.—SHOWING, FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 31ST DECEMBER, 1922, in relation to the City of Dublin and the County Borough of Cork* by Registrars' Districts, particulars of DEATHS from all causes and from some of the principal causes, with the mortality per 1,000 of the population from all causes and from the PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE 1924†	ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		DEATHS																													
			ALL CAUSES	PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES	AGES AT DEATH										DEATHS FROM																			
															Principal Epidemic Diseases						Tuberculosis		Diseases Respiratory System		Violence	Other Causes	Inquest Cases	In Public Institutions	Number Uncertified					
															Enteric Fever, Typhus, Small-pox, Dysentery	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria	Diarrhoea & Enteritis under 2 years	Influenza	Pulmonary	Other Forms	Cancer						Pneumonia	Other			
					(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)				
CITY OF DUBLIN.																																		
North City No. 1 East					35,600	10.3	1.5	7	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
" No. 1 West					43,200	12.1	1.2	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
" No. 2					26,800	23.3	3.9	12	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2		
" No. 3					33,900	10.9		7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
BLANCHARDSTOWN AND CASTLENOCK, PART OF					1,900																													
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, PART OF					9,200	11.3		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 2, PART OF					200																													
COOLICK & DRUMCONDRA, NOS. 1 & 2, PART OF					20,400	33.2		13	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, PART OF					12,100	12.9		3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
South City No. 1					36,900	21.2	1.4	15	2	3	1	1	3	5		1	1					2												
" No. 2					14,400	32.6	2.6	19	3	1	1	3	2									2												
" No. 3					45,700	18.3	4.6	16	8	1	1	3	3									2												
" No. 4					33,900	10.8	3.1	7	1	1	1	1	1	2	2a	1a	1					2												
CLONDALKIN, PART OF					600																													
CRUMLIN, PART OF					6,100	8.5		1	2	1	1	1	1																					
DONEYBROOK NOS. 1 AND 2					35,000	8.9		6	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	2a	1																	
NEW KILMAINHAM					16,900	6.2		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																	
RATHFARNHAM, PART OF					1,900																													
RATHMINES NOS. 1 AND 2					41,500	15.1	1.3	12	1	1	1	1	3	3		1	1					1												
TOTAL CITY OF DUBLIN					415,900	15.3	1.6	122	28	13	5	2	7	14	24	29	8a	8	1	1	1	10	6	19	13	1	60	62	62	62	62	62	62	
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the City of Dublin (not included in above)								14	1			1	4	7	1			1			2	3	2	1		5	14							
CORK CO. BOROUGH.																																		
CORK URBAN, No. 1					12,837	9.3		2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
" No. 2					11,208	9.5		2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
" No. 3					10,971	9.5		2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
" No. 4					8,842	12.1		5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	
" No. 5					5,613	46.4		3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	
" No. 6					12,005	13.0		6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	
" No. 7					17,214	18.2		6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	
TOTAL COUNTY BOROUGH OF CORK					78,490	13.3		20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20

(*) See note at foot of fourth page.

(†) The populations given for the Co. Borough of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census for 1926.

(a) Enteric fever.

TABLE III.—Showing the number of **Cases of Infectious Diseases** notified in the under mentioned Urban areas during the week ended **Saturday, 31st December, 1932**, and during each of the preceding three weeks. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

AREAS	Week ended	Enteric Fever	Typhus, Pyrexia and Small-pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Whooping-cough	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever,	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Dysentery & Malaria	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis and Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis	Total
Dublin City	Dec. 10	1	.	.	19	.	15	2	.	—	.	.	2	.	.	—	6	45
	Dec. 17	14	.	.	29	.	22	2	.	—	.	.	4	.	.	—	13	84
	Dec. 24	6	.	.	21	.	19	3	.	—	.	.	6	1	.	—	6	62
	Dec. 31	5	.	.	14	.	24	1	.	—	.	.	5	.	.	—	9	58
Dun Laoghaire Boro'	Dec. 10	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 17	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Dec. 24	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 31	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	2
Cork C.B.	Dec. 10	.	.	6	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	5	2	15
	Dec. 17	.	.	2	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	6	1	6
	Dec. 24	.	.	2	2	—	.	.	2	—	.	—	1	.	.	1	2	15
	Dec. 31	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	2	4
Limerick C.B.	Dec. 10	.	.	—	3	—	14	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	4	22
	Dec. 17	1	.	—	2	—	12	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	1	16
	Dec. 24	.	.	—	4	—	12	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	16
	Dec. 31	.	.	—	7	—	13	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	20
Waterford C.B.	Dec. 10	.	.	—	8	—	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Dec. 17	.	.	—	9	—	.	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	10
	Dec. 24	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	6
	Dec. 31	.	.	—	9	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	9

TABLE IV.—Showing the number of **Cases of the undermentioned Diseases** treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 31st December, 1932**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 31st December 1932.			
	Dec. 10	Dec. 17	Dec. 24	No. admitted	Discharged	Died	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever	15	23	25	7			32
Typhus							
Small-pox							
Measles	27	26	22	16	1	4	33
Scarlet Fever	143	146	115	17	17		115*
Diphtheria	112	110	101	24	22	1	102
Pneumonia	22	19	23	10	4	1	28

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NOTE.—For the purposes of the Weekly Returns, partial correction is made for births and deaths occurring in Institutions—in the case of births, by the exclusion of those taking place in each urban area belonging to other localities but the figures shown for Dun Laoghaire Borough, Cork County Borough and Limerick County Borough include those occurring in Institutions situated in the Registrars' Districts of Bray No. 2, Cork Rural No. 1 and No. 2, and Limerick Rural, respectively, relating to residents of these Boroughs.

In the case of deaths, those not belonging to any of the twelve towns are excluded, and the deaths of residents of the Boroughs occurring in the Registrars' Districts above named are included, as in the case of births. In addition, the deaths in Institutions situated in Registrars' Districts embracing the twelve towns are assigned to the town areas from which the deceased were admitted.

Full correction for births and deaths in Institutions embracing the whole of Saorstát Éireann will appear in the Detailed Annual Report.